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ELGAR PARISHAD CASE ACCUSED OUT ON BAIL

Arun Ferreira (right) and Vernon Gonsalves, accused in the Elgar Parishad-Maoist links case, walk out of the Taloja Central Prison premises in Navi Mumbai on Saturday after being released on bail. The duo was arrested in August 2018 over their alleged role in the case and were in judicial custody since then | PTI

Government Of India
Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav
INDIAN RAILWAYS

TRANSFORMATION OF 508 RAILWAY STATIONS ACROSS THE COUNTRY UNDER AMRIT BHARAT STATION SCHEME

13 Stations in Karnataka will also be Redeveloped

508 Stations will become world class with an investment of Rs. 25000 Crore

13 Stations in Karnataka will become modern with an investment of Rs. 303 Crore

- Stations to be redeveloped as City Centres with provision of amenities like roof plaza, shopping zone, food court, kids play area etc.
- Provision of segregated entry & exit gates, multi-level parking, lift, escalator, executive lounge, waiting area, travelator, Divyangjan friendly facilities
- With the integration of Multi-modal connectivity the redeveloped stations will become the center of Socio-Economic activities of the region

Railway Stations to be Redeveloped in Karnataka

Ballari	Bidar	Alnavar	Wadi
Ghatprabha	Mangaluru Jn	Gadag	Kalaburagi Jn (Gulbarga)
Gokak Road	Harihar	Arasikere	Shahabad
			Koppal

No.PUB/289/AAS/PRB/SWR/2023-24

Foundation Stone Laying
by
Narendra Modi
Prime Minister

(Through video conferencing) 6 August, 2023, 11:00 AM

August Presence

Ashwini Vaishnaw
Minister of Railways, Communications and Electronics & Information Technology

Raosaheb Patil Danve
Minister of State for Railways, Coal and Mines

Darshana Jardosh
Minister of State for Railways & Textiles

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PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified that, my clients have agreed to purchase the Schedule property from its owner **SMT.K.R.JAYALAKSHMI** W/o late Sri. C.P. Eshwaraiah, residing at:No.634-34, Old Post Office Road, Jayanagar 7th Block, Bangalore – 560070.

The owner has represented that the Original Sale Deed dated 10/03/2006, executed by Mr.Tejpal P Pandia S/o Sri.Pukhraj P Pandia has been misplaced/lost and is not traceable and in this regard the owner has submitted a Lost Article Report on 29/07/2023 with Bengaluru City Police unit. Further the owner represents that she has not deposited or handed over the said Sale Deed to any person/s or Bank and or any authority and that she has a freehold subsisting marketable title to the Schedule property.

Apart from the said owner, If any other person/s have any manner of right, title, interest or claim or charge or lien over the Schedule property or otherwise have any lawful objection/s for sale of the Schedule property by the aforesaid owner, they are hereby called upon to file their objections in writing, along with the photocopies of documents on which they rely, with the undersigned, within 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on my clients.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the vacant site No.52, bearing Khatha No.99/2B-1, Assessment No.99/2B-1, measuring East to West 80ft and North to South 50ft, in all measuring 4000 Sq.ft, situated at Dasanapura Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and bounded on:

East by : Site No.33
West by : Road
North by : Site No.51
South by : Site No.53

Sd/- S.F. Goutam Chand
Advocate
Goutam Associates
No.60, 2nd Floor, Kanakapura Road,
Basavanagudi, Bangalore – 560 004

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J C ROAD BRANCH
4/2, OTC Road, Behind LIC Building,
Near Sharada Talkies, Bangalore-560002

POSSESSION NOTICE
(for Immovable property)

Whereas the undersigned being the authorised officer of the **Bank of India** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 31.03.2023 calling upon the borrower **Ms. Vijay Kumar G & Mrs. Umavathi G repay** the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.31,67,909.32 (Rupees Thirty-One lakhs Sixty seven thousand nine hundred and nine rupees & thirty two paise)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **31st day of July the year 2023**.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs.31,67,909.32** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that part and parcel of the property consisting of Equitable Mortgage of the property bearing old No.12. then No.41, present No.4 situated at Pape Gowda Road, Akkithimmanahalli, Shanthinagar, Bangalore-560027, BBMP Shanthinagar ward old No.70, present ward No.117, PID No.70-34-4, measuring 72.40 sq.mtrs or 779 Sq feet together with the buildings, sheds, standing there on **Bounded:** East: property of Thigalara Muniswamappa, West: property No.41/A of Andrews, North: Road, South: property of Maheshwarappa.

Date: 31-07-2023, Place: Bangalore **Authorized Officer, Bank of India**

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
(PUBLIC WORKS, DEPT.)

No. PWD/BGM/TND/TA/AE/2023-24/2215 **Date: 03.08.2023**

- ITEM RATE TENDER NOTIFICATION (E-PROCUREMENT):-

The Executive Engineer, PWD Belagavi Division Belagavi invites item rate tenders from the eligible contractors registered in E-procurement portal in Public Works Department under KW- 1, 2, 3 & 4 Standard tender documents for a total of 89 works under 3054- SH Maintenance , 3054- MDR Maintenance and 2059-Belgaum Suvarna Soudha Building Maintenance Works with maximum & minimum tender amounts of Rs.236.57 Lakhs & Rs.1.35 Lakhs respectively and. maximum & minimum EMD amounts of Rs.355000/- & Rs.1700/- respectively. Part-1 Tender receipt Date is on 16-08-2023 upto 4.30 PM and Tender Opening Date is on 17-08-2023 after 4.45 PM and Part-2: Tender receipt Date is on 16.08.2023 upto 4.30 PM and Technical Bid Opening Date is on 17.08.2023 after 4.45 PM For more information contact the office of the undersigned and www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in after 04.08.2023

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Public Works Depatment. Belagavi Dn. Belagavi.

DIPR/BGM/RO-NO-242/KSMCA/2023-24

INTERNATIONAL FLOWER AUCTION BANGALORE LIMITED

24, Bellary Road, Hebbal, Bengaluru-560024,
Mobile No. 8431235867, 8431235858
E-Mail:- ifablimited@gmail.com, Website :-www.ifabindia.org

No.IFAB/2023-24/SE0002/CALL-2 **Date:01.08.2023**
No.IFAB/2023-24/SE0003 **Date:01.08.2023**

Separate Tenders are invited through Karnataka e-procurement portal **https://www.kppp.gov.in** by IFAB Ltd from interested Agencies for providing service of Security and accounting service on contract basis at International Flower Auction Bangalore Ltd. The tender details and documents can be downloaded from e-procurement portal. Last date for submission of tender is : **14.08.2023 at 5.00 pm.**

Sd/-
Managing Director

DIPR/CP/794/SHIRDI SAI/2023-24

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LIC HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

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E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

WHEREAS the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of L.I.C. Housing Finance Ltd (LIC HFL), under Securitization & Reconstructions of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 & in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 had issued Demand Notice to following Borrowers/Mortgagors calling upon them to repay the outstanding due amount mentioned in the said notices. However, The Borrowers/Mortgagors having failed to repay the said due amount, the undersigned has taken PHYSICAL POSSESSION of the following properties in exercise of powers conferred U/s 13(4) and U/s 14 of the said Act read with the Rule 8 of the said Rules.

Sl. No	Loan No./ Name of Borrower/Co–Borrower	Property Address and Flat Area/ UDS of land	Date of Demand Notice	Reserve Price (Amount in Rs.)	EMD (10%) of Reserve Price	Bank details (EMD to be transferred to)
1	Loan No. 16061041406 Name: Mr. Prabhu Dass P & Mrs. Sunitha T	All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Flat No.G-34, in Ground Floor, measuring about 1220 square feet super built up area, containing two bed rooms in "C" Block known as "GLORIA" in the multistoried residential building known as "SLS SYMPHONY" and undivided right of 389 square feet in land bearing Sy.No.66, Bytarayanapura CMC Katha No.1350/66, earlier within the limits of City Municipal Council, Bytarayanapura, presently under the administration jurisdiction of BBMP and presently bears a common Bytarayanapura CMC Katha No.1351/66, 68 & 70, situated at Amrutha Halli village, Yelehanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and bounded on : East by : P.V. Krishnappa's land and Sy.No.69; West by: Sy.No.67& 71; North by: P.V. Krishnappa's land; South by :Sy.No.70, government kaluve and sonnappa's land;	15.03.2016	Rs.47,00,000/-	Rs.4,70,000/-	Account Number:- HFLESCBABN41406 IFSC Code:- UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
2	Loan No. 410500001109 Name: Mr. Nishanth Sharad Wazarkar	All that piece & parcel of the residential Property bearing Flat No.P-1, in the GROUND floor, VARTA BLOCK of the project named "VIVARTA MAAGAN", measuring 1367 Square Feet super built up area, one covered car parking space in stilt floor, having undivided share of 256 Square feet in the land bearing Sy.No.20/15, Re-Sy.No.152, BBMP Khatha No.3618/20/15/152, situated at Kammanahalli Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, and bounded on: EAST By:Private Property, West By: Road, North By: Road, South By: Remaining portion of the same Property;	11.01.2016	Rs.50,00,000/-		Account Number:- HFLESCBAWF01109 IFSC Code:- UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
3.	Loan No.411600001344 Name:- Sarath Babu Gunasegaran	All that piece & parcel of the residential Property bearing Unit No.S2, in the SECOND floor of the apartment named "EVER GREEN APARTMENT", measuring 1176 Square Feet super built up area, car parking space at basement floor, having undivided share of 323.87Square feet in the land bearing property I.D. no.84-77-24, situated at B.Channasandra Gramatana, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now falls under BBMP ward no.50, Bangalore, and bounded on: EAST By: 8 feet width passage and private property, West By: property of Nanjaiah, North By: Road, South By: Road and BDA property.	15.03.2016	Rs.43,70,000/-	Rs.4,37,000/-	Account Number:- HFLESCBAYE01344 IFSC Code:- UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
4.	Loan No. 411900006510 Mrs. Prathyusha Mr. Harikrishna Ch	ll that piece & parcel of the residential Apartment/Flat bearing Unit No.003, containing Two bedrooms in the Ground floor of the apartment named "SRI VANDANA ORCHID", measuring 1275 Square Feet super built up area with one covered car parking space having undivided share of 301.70 Square feet in the land bearing present BBMP Katha No.2156/1/125/2A, 125/2B/142/1 & 153, situated at Kothanur Village, Uttarhalli Hobli, Bangalore South taluk, and bounded on: EAST By: Private Property, West By: Private Property, North By: 30 feet Road, South By: Private property and Road.	25.11.2016	Rs.50,00,000/-	Rs.5,00,000/-	Account Number:- HFLESCBABC06510 IFSC Code:- UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
5.	Loan No.:- 16069000100 Name:- Mr. Jegadeesan Devaraji Mrs. Jai Priya	All that piece & parcel of the residential Property bearing Flat No.308 (T-08), in the THIRD floor of the apartment named "GARUDADRI ELITE", measuring 1385 Square Feet super built up area, one car parking space at basement, having undivided share of 550 Square feet in the land bearing Sy.No.33/1, situated at KUDLU VILLAGE, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, within the limits of B.B.M.P. Bangalore, and bounded on: EAST By: Property belongs to Sri Samulla Thammaiah, West By: Property in Sy. No.33/1 belongs to Sri. Annaiah Reddy, North By: Road, South By: Property belongs to Sri. Narasimha Reddy.	11.01.2016	Rs.43,00,000/-	Rs.4,30,000/-	Account Number:- HFLESCBAWF00100 IFSC Code:- UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
6.	Loan No. 411800002258 Name: Mr. Sanjeev Singh Mrs. Anamika Singh	All that piece & parcel of the Flat bearing No.105, in first Floor, A-Block, BBMP Khatha No.262/105/08, apartment known as "KEMPS GREEN VIEW" measuring 846 Square Feet super built up area, with 305 Square Feet Undivided share, right, title and interest, containing Two Bedrooms, Dining Hall, Bathroom, Kitchen and Balcony, together with One covered Car Parking Space in the apartment in the Land bearing Site No. 1, 2 and 3, CMC Khatha No. 262, situated at Hoodi, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk and the building is constructed with brick and cement walls, RCC Roofing, Honne Wood Doors and Windows, Mosaic Tiles flooring, with electricity, water and sanitary facility. EAST By: Property Belongs to H V Narayan Reddy, West By: Remaining portion of Survey No.63/1, North By: Block – B of Kemps City Developers, South By: Road.	09.10.2017	Rs.26,00,000/-	Rs.2,60,000/-	Account Number:-HFLESCBAKF02258 IFSC Code:- UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
7.	Loan No. 411500005057 Name: Mr. Salahuddin Sadique Mohammed Mrs. Sufia Saher	All that piece & parcel of the residential Property bearing Flat No.302, Third Floor, in Block-B, in the block name known as "KEVIN ASIRVATHAM" block in the multistoried residential building known as "MOUNIKA ESPANICA" measuring about 1390 Square Feet super built up area, having undivided share of 310 square feet with one covered car parking space in the land bearing converted Sy.No.65/2,now assigned New BBMP Katha No.40/1/Sy.No.65/2, situated at HORAMAVU AGARA VILLAGE, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk and bounded on: EAST By: Sy.No.65/3, Horamavu Agara Village & Private Property; West By: Passage thereafter "MOUNIKA ESPANICA" Apartment block 'A' in the block name known as "LEPAKSHI" block, constructed on remaining portion of same Sy.No.65/2, measuring 13 Guntas, thereafter Sy.No.65/1 belongs to Mr.Yella Reddy; North By: Remaining portion of same Sy.No.65/2; and South By: Road formed in Sy.No.65/8.	07.12.2016	Rs.57,00,000/-	Rs.5,70,000/-	Account Number:- HFLESCBAWF05057 IFSC Code:-UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
8.	Loan No.410200005556 Name:- Ramesh Baswa	All that piece and parcel of the Apartment bearing No. A-302, Measuring 1800 Sft., on the second floor of the multistoried building known as "MAX-SUNFLOWER", with an undivided share of 2.5% of in the land, which is equivalent to 348 Sft bearing BBMP Khatha No. 1235, Sy. No. 34/1, situated in PattandurAgrahara Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore East, and bounded on the East By:C.S Adam's Property, West By:Blind School Trust Property, North By: Blind School Trust Property, South By: Road.	09.10.2017	Rs.81,00,000/-	Rs.8,10,000/-	Account Number:- HFLESCBAIR05556 IFSC Code:-UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
9.	Loan No. 410200005557 Name:- Ramesh Baswa	All that piece and parcel of the Apartment bearing No. A-202, Measuring 1800 Sft., on the second floor of the multistoried building known as "MAX-SUNFLOWER" with an undivided share of 2.5% of in the land, which is equivalent to 348 Sft bearing BBMP Khatha No. 1235, Sy. No. 34/1, situated in PattandurAgrahara Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore East, and bounded on the:- EAST By:C.S Adam's Property, West By: Blind School Trust Property, North By: Blind School Trust Property, South By: Road.	09.10.2017	Rs.81,00,000/-	Rs.8,10,000/-	Account Number:- HFLESCBAIR05557 IFSC Code:-UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
10.	Loan No.411500005529 Name: Chennaiyan M N	All that piece & parcel of the residential Property bearing Flat No.G-08, in WING-A, in the Ground floor, measuring about 1190.02 Sq. Feet super built up area, containing Two Bedrooms, together with RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring, together with One covered car parking space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, etc., in the multistoried residential building known as "VMR GEMINI SIGNATURE" constructed over Schedule, having undivided share of 337.461 square feet in the land being a portion of Sy.No.120, Chelkere Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, and bounded on:EAST By: Water Channel and Road, West By: Water Channel and Road, North By: Property belongs to Joseph, South By: Property belongs to Poojappa and Muniswamy Reddy.	04.08.2017	Rs.71,00,000/-	Rs.7,10,000/-	Account Number:-HFLESCBAWF05529 IFSC Code:-UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
11.	Loan No.411500005530 Name: M N Chennaiyan	All that piece & parcel of the residential Property bearing Flat No.G-04, in WING-A, in the Ground floor, measuring about 1190.02 Sq. Feet super built up area, containing Two Bedrooms, together with RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring, together with One covered car parking space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, etc., in the multistoried residential building known as "VMR GEMINI SIGNATURE" constructed over Schedule, having undivided share of 337.461 square feet in the land being a portion of Sy.No.120, Chelkere Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, and bounded on: EAST By: Water Channel and Road, West By: Water Channel and Road, North By: Property belongs to Joseph, South By: Property belongs to Poojappa and Muniswamy Reddy	04.08.2017	Rs.70,60,000/-	Rs.7,06,000/-	Account Number:-HFLESCBAWF05530 IFSC Code:-UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
12.	Loan No. 411500005652 Name: Veena	All that piece & parcel of the residential Property bearing Flat No.G-04, in WING-A, in the Ground floor, measuring about 1190.02 Sq. Feet super built up area, containing Two Bedrooms, together with RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring, together with One covered car parking space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, etc., in the multistoried residential building known as "VMR GEMINI SIGNATURE" constructed over Schedule, having undivided share of 337.461 square feet in the land being a portion of Sy.No.120, Chelkere Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, and bounded on: EAST By: Water Channel and Road, West By: Water Channel and Road, North By: Property belongs to Joseph, South By: Property belongs to Poojappa and Muniswamy Reddy	09.10.2017	Rs.70,80,000/-	Rs.7,08,000/-	Account Number: HFLESCBAWF05652 IFSC Code: UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
13.	Loan No.410100006700 Name: Rajeshwari J N	All that piece and parcel of the Residential apartment No.304, in third floor of the "COMFORT DYNASTY" constructed on the Property bearing Present Corporation No.1088/1075/968/86/1, (formerly House list No.388, (Old Sy No. 86-1)) In Katha No.590 and property bearing House List No.388, in Khatha No.590 and Site No.2), Situated at Hulimavu Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Now Under the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, having a super built up area of 835 Sq. feet, consisting of One Bedroom with balcony, Two Toilets, Living, Kitchen with Utility, equipped with one covered Car Parking, Vitrified tiles flooring, Sanitary, Electrical wiring and other facilities, with 306 Sq. feet of undivided share of interest in Schedule A property and bounded on the:- EAST By: Flat No.302, West By: Flat No.306, North By: Corridor and flat No. 303, South By: Private Property	03.10.2017	Rs.37,05,000/-	Rs.3,70,500/-	Account Number: HFLESCBABN06700 IFSC Code: UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
14.	Loan No.:410200004375 Name: Jangid Mahendra Singh	All that piece & parcel of the Residential Flat No.G-03, 2BHK, BBMP Khatha No.32/67/2, on the GROUND FLOOR, with super Built Up area of 1125 Sq Feet, 270 Sq. Feet of undivided right, title and interest, along with One Reserved Car Parking Space in Basement Floor of the residential Apartment Building known as "NOVES SQUARE" constructed on the Land bearing Converted Land in Sy. No. 67 of Chokkanahalli Village, YelahankaHobli, Bangalore North Taluk. And bounded on the:- EAST By: Passage, West By: Stair Case and Duct, North By: Passage, South By: Open Space.	09.10.2017	Rs.49,00,000/-	Rs.4,90,500/-	Account Number: HFLESCBAIR04375 IFSC Code:UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
15.	Loan No. 411900014343 Mr. Sumathi Suratani	All that piece and parcel in A Residential Row House Bearing No. 5 in block "ZOE" of "ZEUS" with a super built up area of 5118 Square Feet along with all the common proportionate rights in the common amenities and facilities in proportion to undivided share conveyed hereunder and two car park bearing No. 5 in the basement with an undivided 2.62% share (Equivalent to 2400 Sq. Feet) in the land comprised and constructed on property bearing Municipal No. 9 (earlier comprised of Survey No. 59/1 measuring 23 Guntas and Survey No. 59/3 measuring 1 Acre 23 Guntas situated at Kudlu Village, SarjapurHobli, AnekalTaluk Ward No. 191, measuring in all about 91595.28 Sq feet and bounded as under:- East by:- Tank bed and Lake's boundary; West by:- Land belonging to Srinivas Reddy; North by:- Road; South by:- Tank bed and land belonging to Raghuram Reddy	26.11.2019	Rs.3,94,25,000/-	Rs.39,42,500/-	Account Number: HFLESCBABC14343 IFSC Code:UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
16.	Loan No.410200008336 Name: Mannava Srinivas & Mannava Madhavi	SCHEDULE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the immoveable property bearing Site. No.19, converted Sy.No.15, BBMP Khatha No.90, situated at Kodigehalli Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, earlier Bangalore South Taluk, now Bangalore East Taluk, presently under the Administrative jurisdiction of BBMP, and measuring: East to West : on the northern side 47 feet and on the southern side 42 feet 6 inches North to South : on the eastern side 40 feet and on the western side 40 feet 1 inches in all total 1794.24 square feet., together with all rights, appurtenances, whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface And bounded on: East by: 25 feet road, West by: Private property North by: Site.no.20, South by: Site no.18.	18.04.2022	Rs.65,00,000	Rs.6,50,000	Account Number: HFLESCBAIR08336 IFSC Code: UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub
17.	Loan No. 16061503848 Name: JISON T J	All that piece & parcel of the residential Apartment bearing flat No.01, on the Third Floor of the residential apartment known as "S.S.Enclave" having super built up area of 962 Sq.Feet and undivided share of 250 Sq.Feet. Apartment building built on site no.40, Khata No.261/8/40, Property No.69, situated at Hoodi Village (Hoodi to KR Puram Road), KR Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, presently under the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP, Bangalore and bounded on the: East by- Private Property ; West by-Road; North by- Private Property; South by- Road.	23.09.2010	Rs.22,00,000	Rs.2,20,000	Account Number: HFLESCBARA03848 IFSC Code: UTIB0CCH274 Beneficiary Branch Name : Axis Bank, Centralised Collection Hub

E-AUCTION Date	**29-AUGUST-2023**
Last date of submission of e-Bid form	**28-AUGUST-2023**

Further to this PUBLIC NOTICE for E-Auction Sale of the above said Assets / properties (in terms and conditions of the SARFAESI, Act 2002 and rules thereunder) LICHFL invites Online mode to purchase the said properties on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" and "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"**.

THE TERMS & CONDITIONS OF THE AUCTION SALE ARE AS FOLLOWS:-

1. E-Auction is being held on **'As is where is Basis', 'As is what is Basis', 'Whatever there is' And 'Without Any Recourse Basis'**, and will be conducted **"Online"**.
2. The intending bidders are advised to visit **https://online.lichousing.com/eauction/** for the details of the properties in the website and for taking part in the bid is there after redirected to the **E-Auction service provider - www.auctionbazaar.com** and proceed further.
3. The successful bidder/s shall deposit 25% of the amount of sale price, adjusting the EMD paid already, immediately on acceptance of offer by the Authorized officer in respect of the sale, failing which the earnest money deposited shall be forfeited. The balance 75% of the sale price is payable within 15 days from the date of confirmation of the sale solely at the discretion of the Authorized Officer. In case of failure to deposit the balance amount within the prescribed period, the amount deposited shall be forfeited. The Authorized Officer shall not be required to give any further notice of forfeiture to the successful bidder.
4. **Bidding increment fixed for 10,000/- increment per BID.**
5. Bidders are bound by the principle of "caveat emptor" (Buyer Beware) and advised to conduct their own due diligence to find any encumbrances, statutory liabilities, arrears of property tax, Income Tax, Excise Duty, Labour Dues, electricity and maintenance dues etc., of the firm or Secured Asset. The Successful bidders shall have to bear all outgoing i.e., municipal taxes, maintenance/society charges, electricity charges, water charges, stamp duty, registration charges, taxes, or any other duties ,if any and all other incidentals charges, cost including all outgoing relating to the respective properties other than the sale price.
6. The L.I.C Housing Finance Limited reserves the right to CANCEL / ACCEPT / REJECT / ALTER / MODIFY / POSTPONE the TENDER SALE / AUCTION without giving any reason whatsoever or prior Notice.

Place: Bangalore

Authorized Officer
L.I.C Housing Finance Ltd, Bangalore

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COMPOUND ARCHERS ADITI, OJAS WIN HISTORIC GOLD AT WORLD C'SHIPS

A day after women won world title, India's Aditi Swami, 17, and Ojas Deotale, 21, clinched gold at the Archery World Championships in Berlin

TEENAGER GETS BETTER OF IDOL BEFORE TITLE

The Satara teenager, who won the Under-18 title at the Youth Championships in Limerick in July, shot a near perfect score of 149 out of a possible 150 points to prevail over Mexico's Andrea Becerra. Andrea had knocked out defending champion Sara Lopez in the pre-quarterfinals. She beat idol Jyothi Surekha Vennam in the individual semifinals

DEOTALE FIRST MALE ARCHER TO WIN GOLD

- The 21-year-old Ojas Deotale from Maharashtra produced a perfect score to beat Poland's Lukasz Przybylski 150-149 for historic gold
- **ANOTHER MEDAL FOR JYOTHI:** Andhra Pradesh archer Jyothi Surekha, part of the gold winning team on Friday, won bronze. She has won a total of eight medals at the Worlds | P19

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OJAS SCORES A PERFECT SCORE IN THE FINAL

CHENNAI ▪ MADURAI ▪ VIJAYAWADA ▪ BENGALURU ▪ KOCHI ▪ HYDERABAD ▪ VISAKHAPATNAM ▪ COIMBATORE ▪ KOZHIKODE ▪ THIRUVANANTHAPURAM ▪ BELAGAVI ▪ BHUBANESWAR ▪ SHIVAMOGGA ▪ MANGALURU ▪ TIRUPATI ▪ TIRUCHY ▪ TIRUNELVELI ▪ SAMBALPUR ▪ HUBBALLI ▪ DHARMAPURI ▪ KOTTAYAM ▪ KANNUR ▪ VILLUPURAM ▪ KOLLAM ▪ TADEPALLIGUDEM ▪ NAGAPATTINAM ▪ THRISSUR ▪ KALABURAGI

Months before Pakistan polls, court jails Imran

3-yr sentence in Toshakhana case disqualifies him from holding public office for five years

YESHI SELI @New Delhi

MONTHS before Pakistan's general elections, an Islamabad trial court on Saturday removed a major 'thorn' by sentencing former prime minister Imran Khan to three years in jail for corruption, which disqualified him from holding any public office for five years.

Additional Judge Humayun Dilawar found Imran guilty of illegally selling state gifts from the Toshakhana (repository of gifts) during his tenure as prime minister from 2018 to 2022.

The Punjab Police arrested him from his Zaman Park home in Lahore and flew him to Islamabad. His battery lawyers were absent from court when it announced his sentence. The court also imposed a fine of Pakistani Rupee 1,00,000.

The arrest warrant authorised the Islamabad police chief to send Imran to the Central Prison in Rawalpindi for serving his sentence. Local news footage showed Imran's supporters, including lawyers protesting outside his residence, while a large police contingent was seen taking him to jail.

With the general elections due in October-November, Imran's arrest was on expected lines.

Police personnel leave after arresting Imran Khan at his house in Lahore | AFP

While the military establishment could feel the verdict has removed a polarising force from the arena, how appellate courts deal with appeals remains to be seen. Besides, the reaction of Imran's Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf party cadre is uncertain.

In a video message, Imran urged his supporters to launch peaceful protests.

The case was based on a criminal complaint filed by the Election Commission of Pakistan against Imran. "The court finds it more than convincing that the complainant had provided confidence-inspiring, well knitted and corroborate evidence. So the charge against the accused has successfully been proven," the trial court's order said.

Pakistan's minister Marriyum Aurangzeb said Imran had resisted attempts at interrogation in the case.

LONG HISTORY OF ARRESTING FORMER PMs

- **1962** — **Huseyn Shaheed Suhrawardy** in the then East Pakistan arrested for refusing to endorse the seizure of govt by Gen Ayub Khan
- **1974** — **Zulfikar Ali Bhutto** arrested over murder of political opponent Muhammad Ahmad Kasuri
- **1986** — **Benazir Bhutto** arrested for criticising military dictator Zia-ul-Haq
- **1999** — **Nawaz Sharif** arrested after army chief General Parvez Musharraf seized power in a coup. He was later exiled
- **2007** — **Nawaz Sharif** arrested again upon return to Pakistan
- **2019** — **Shahid Khaqan Abbasi** arrested in connection with a corruption case
- **2020** — **Shehbaz Sharif** arrested in connection with a money-laundering case
- **2023** — **Imran Khan** arrested in the Toshakhana corruption case

THREE KILLED IN FRESH MANIPUR VIOLENCE

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @Guwahati

IN fresh violence in Manipur, suspected militants raided a village in the wee hours of Saturday and killed three civilians, including a father-son duo.

A few houses were also torched after the attack at Ukha Tampak, near Kwakta in the Bishnupur district of Manipur.

The deceased have been identified as Yumnam Pishak Meitei, 67, his son Yumnam Premkumar Meitei, 39, and Yumnam Jiten Meitei, 46. They had returned to their village from a nearby relief camp on Friday night and were sleeping when they were shot around 2 am. Their bodies were later slashed with swords.

"The three were lodged at a relief camp in Kwakta. Last (Friday) evening, the old man (Pishak Meitei) was not feeling well and wanted to sleep at his house. Since there has been no trouble in the area in the recent past, his son took his home. The neighbour (Jiten Meitei) accompanied the duo," a villager told this newspaper.

A road blocked during a protest at Kwakta in Manipur's Bishnupur district on Saturday against the killings | PTI

Three injured in heavy gunfight near Kwakta

Three persons, including one policeman, were injured amid a heavy exchange of gunfire between state forces and militants near Kwakta on Saturday morning. "They are out of danger. The policeman sustained splinter injuries on his face," the police said

The incident sparked concerns as the assailants managed to breach a buffer zone to reach the village. A buffer zone, manned by the security forces, stretches for 1 to 2 km from a conflict zone.

Kwakta's population is dominated by Meitei Pangal, a Muslim community that has remained neutral in the violence. The site of the attack is close to Churachandpur, a Kuki-majority hill district.

BJP MLA Rajkumar Imo Singh, son-in-law of Manipur Chief Minister N Biren Singh, demanded action against the security personnel who were deployed in the buffer zone. "How on earth did the militants come to the valley and kill innocent people? What is the role of the forces?" he asked.

CRUCIAL STEP

Chandrayaan 3 injected into Moon's orbit

DONNA EVA @Bengaluru

CHANDRAYAAN 3 entered lunar orbit on Saturday evening, accomplishing the crucial step of getting into the Moon's gravity field.

The thruster firing manoeuvre was carried out from the Bengaluru-based ISRO Telemetry, Tracking and Command Network (ISTRAC) around 7 pm.

"Chandrayaan 3 has been successfully inserted into lunar orbit. A retro-burning at the Perilune (point in lunar orbit closest to the Moon) was commanded from the Mission Operations Complex (MOX), ISTRAC, Bengaluru," ISRO tweeted.

"The next Lunar-bound orbit maneuver is scheduled tomorrow (August 6), around 23:00 hrs IST," the official Twitter handle for Chandrayaan 3 (chandrayaan_3) tweeted on Saturday.

A little earlier, ISRO shared a message received from the propulsion module, indicating that it had entered the lunar orbit: "MOX, ISTRAC, this is Chandrayaan 3. I am feeling lunar gravity."

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Cong to go to LS, assembly polls with 'K'taka model'

RAMAKRISHNA BADSESHI @Kalaburagi

AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge and Chief Minister Siddaramaiah on Saturday said that the Congress will propagate the five guarantee schemes being implemented in Karnataka and the 'Karnataka model' of governance across the country keeping in view the coming elections to state assemblies and the Lok Sabha.

Launching the Gruha Jyothi scheme, one of the five guarantees promised by the Congress during the campaign for Assembly elections in the state, Kharge said the whole country is now looking towards Karnataka where the guarantee schemes are being implemented.

AICC chief Mallikarjun Kharge, CM Siddaramaiah, DyCM DK Shivakumar and ministers KJ George and Priyank Kharge at the launch of Gruha Jyothi scheme in Kalaburagi

He said the guarantees for other states will be announced based on the people's needs there. Kharge said before leaving for Karnataka, the Himachal Pradesh chief minister met him in New Delhi and sought details regarding the five guarantees. Leaders of many states are keen on Karnataka's guarantees, he added.

Siddaramaiah said the Congress party and his government faced many hindrances after the announcement of five guarantees. During the campaign for Assembly elections, BJP and other parties alleged that the guarantees promised by the Congress party could not be implemented. They claimed that just to win the Assembly polls, the Congress had come up with the guarantees. "After forming the government, we immediately issued orders to implement the promised guarantees," he added. P6

Batch of popular beer brand recalled

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

AFTER finding sediments in a popular brand of beer, the excise department has recalled the bottles supplied to depots and retail stores, citing health concerns.

An order to recall the bottles was issued on August 2 by the offices of Mysuru district commissioner of the excise department and the deputy commissioner of excise of Bengaluru urban district.

The order stated that beer bottled on June 25 by United Breweries Limited at Nanjangud in Mysuru district contained some sediments. The order was issued based on a report from laboratories.

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Cong sends SC order on Rahul to Secretariat for reinstatement

PREETHA NAIR @New Delhi

A day after the Supreme Court stayed the conviction of Rahul Gandhi in the Modi surname case, Congress leader in the Lok Sabha Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury submitted the court's order and an application to the Lok Sabha Secretariat seeking Rahul's immediate reinstatement to the Lok Sabha.

Questioning the delay in restoring his membership, the party sought to know if Prime Minister Narendra Modi is afraid of Rahul's participation in the no-confidence motion debate on Tuesday. The Lok Sabha will take up the debate on August 8 and the PM is expected to reply on August 10. Chowdhury expressed dissatisfaction over the delay in reviving Rahul's membership in the House but didn't suspect it was deliberate. "I called up the Speaker last night. He suggested meeting him the next day. When I called him up once again this morning, he told me to speak to the Secretary-General and submit the documents to his office. I called up the Secretary-General who said that his office is closed today and told me to submit the letter to the Speaker...I sent the letter by post. They signed the letter but did not stamp it," he said.

Chowdhury met Speaker Om Birla on Friday and told him that the Congress wants Rahul to join the House soon and take part in the no-trust debate.

BJP's Uttar Pradesh MP to be disqualified

An Agra court on Saturday sentenced BJP's Lok Sabha member Ram Shankar Katheria to two years in jail for assaulting an employee of a private power firm in 2011, which would lead to his Parliament disqualification

EXPRESS READ

HDK to meet Modi on NICE 'illegalities'

Bengaluru: Senior JDS leader HD Kumaraswamy said he will meet Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Union Home Minister Amit Shah and submit documents related to illegalities in the Bangalore- Mysore Infrastructure Corridor (BMIC) Project, implemented by Nandi Infrastructure Corridor Enterprise (NICE) Ltd. P6

Immunisation prog in K'taka from Monday

Bengaluru: Karnataka will launch the Intensified Indhradhanush Mission 5.0, which aims to enhance immunisation coverage for all vaccines, on Monday. According to health department, Bengaluru Urban, Bagalkot, Ballari, Belagavi, Dakshina Kannada, Dharwad, Kalaburagi, Mysuru, Raichur, Vijayapura and Yadgiri are high-risk districts. P7

Tallest Tricolour at 418 ft to be hoisted at Attari

HARPREET BAJWA @Chandigarh

CALL it the height of nationalism. India's tallest Tricolour at 418 feet will be hoisted at Attari on the Indo-Pak international border this month. It will be 18 feet taller than Pakistan's Parcham-e-Sitara-o-Hilal (flag of the star and crescent).

It is likely to further intensify 'flag war' with Pakistan.

The decision to install it comes in the wake of Islamabad's plan to hoist a 500-ft national flag in Lahore on its Independence Day, August 14, at a cost of ₹40 crore, which is being criticised within the cash-strapped country.

Sources said the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) awarded a contract to a Kolkata-based company to build the base and erect the flag pole near the spectator's gallery at Attari for wider visibility after a soil testing. The project has been carried out in a phased manner.

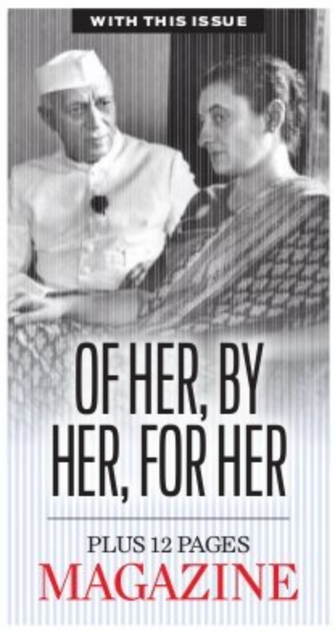
"The flag pole has been erected. The height of the pole is at 418 ft with a 120x80 ft flag dimension. IIT-Madras has vetted the project after checking the wind speed, the load factor and other technical dimensions," said an official, adding that the total project is likely to cost around ₹4 crore.

Sources say Independence Day on August 15 could be the flag's inaugural day — but it could be some other day as well.

"Union Minister of Road Transport and Highways Nitin Gadkari could be present on the day of its opening," said an official. NHAI Project Director at Amritsar Sunil Yadav said, "At 418 feet, this national flag will be the tallest in the country."

HIGHEST TRICOLORS IN INDIA

- **361 ft:** Belagavi, Karnataka
- **360 ft:** Attari, Punjab
- **293 ft:** Ranchi, Jharkhand
- **291 ft:** Hyderabad, Telengana
- **269 ft:** Raipur, Chhattisgarh
- **250 ft:** Faridabad, Haryana
- **237 ft:** Pune, Maharashtra
- **170 ft:** Anand Park, Amritsar, Punjab



SMART INITIATIVES

After steps, accidents dip on B'luru-Mysuru NH

KARTHIK K K @Mysuru

The number of deaths due to accidents on the 118-km Mysuru-Bengaluru highway has come down drastically. This could be attributed to proactive efforts of police and fear of accidents among motorists.

According to Additional Director-General of Police (Traffic and Road Safety) Alok Kumar, 29 deaths were reported on the highway in May and 28 in June. However, because of the efforts by police, use of technology, strict vigilance and action against violators of traffic rules, the number of deaths because of accidents has now come down. Called a game changer for commuters between Mysuru and Bengaluru, the access-controlled highway soon became a death trap, killing more than 90 people after its inauguration in March.

Initially, the road design, lack of signage and skidding due to waterlogging were blamed for accidents on the highway. However, a detailed analysis by experts and police revealed that the reasons for accidents are motorists crossing the 100km/hr speed limit and flouting lane discipline.

"Car drivers used to drive at

a speed of 120-160 km/hr surpassing the speed limit. Many failed in negotiating the curves and rammed the road median or other vehicles. With more policemen deployed on the stretch, who now impose fines on violators, the number of accidents has come down," said an officer attached to Mandya traffic police station.

After Alok Kumar took charge as ADGP (Traffic), he held meetings with the authorities concerned and took many initiatives to make the highway safe for motorists. Installation of smart cameras in July was one of the major decisions that helped in bringing down the number of accidents on the highway. Use of social media, where violators caught on camera by the public are posted by tagging the ADGP, also helped in strict implementation of traffic rules. In July alone, 1,000 cases were booked against violators.

ALMANAC TODAY
Sunday: 06/08/2023 • Year: Shobhakruta • Ayana: Dakshinayana • Ritu: Varsha • Masa: Adhika Shravana • Paksha: Krishna • Tithi: Panchami 12.52 pm • Nakshatra: Utthrabhadra 9.04 am • Moon in Mesha Rashi • Rahukaala: 04:30 pm to 06:00pm • Gulikakala: 03:00 pm to 04:30 pm • Yamaganda: 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm

WEATHER
MIN 21°C | MAX 30°C
FORECAST
Showers late. Cloudy.

Sunrise 6.06 am
Sunset 6.45 pm
Moonrise 10.36 pm
Moonset 10.23 am

STORYTELLER OF STONES

Journeying through Bengaluru as a BMTC driver once, Dhanapal is today a history buff, helping preserve the city's lost glory

AKNISREE KARTHIK @ Bengaluru

STONES tell stories, and it's in them where a man's heart rests. The man, who earlier ferried people on a bus around Bengaluru, has now dedicated his life to uncover the forgotten legends of the city, by searching through its historical stones. K Dhanapal's turn in this journey began 17 years ago.

In 2006, Dhanapal, a Bangalore Metropolitan Transport Corporation (BMTC) bus driver, was transferred to its sightseeing wing -- now popularly called 'Bengaluru Darshini'. He was tasked with taking a tourist bus covering different locations around the city.

"One day, when I was taking some tourists around Sankey Tank in Malleswaram, one of them asked, 'Why is it called 'Sankey'?' I was speechless and felt ashamed of not knowing the history around us. That was the trigger. I began to delve deeper into the lake's history and learnt that it is named after engineer Richard Hieram Sankey. Accordingly, I developed interest in history, and today, I know the past of almost every place in Bengaluru," says Dhanapal.

So much was his love for history that Dhanapal began devoting time after his daily shift at BMTC, exploring Bengaluru's heritage. He claims to have found over 100 stone inscriptions belonging to different time periods with the help of his friend and guide Prof KR Narasimhan. With the thirst to explore more, Dhanapal enrolled into the evening college at Kannada Sahitya Parishat and earned a diploma in epigraphy in 2020. Retiring from BMTC three months ago, he now spends his entire time exploring Bengaluru.

Hero stone finds

Among several stones that lay hidden within Bengaluru are the 'hero stones' or 'Veeragallu'. Dhanapal has discovered a few of them.

During a recent exploration, he claims to have found a Veeragallu at Nagaruru village, Dasanapura Hobli on the city's outskirts. The stone has an inscription in Kannada and Sindhi, belonging to the Rashtrakuta period. He says it dates back to 967 CE and depicts the heroic act of a man saving cows at the cost of his life.

"While I was exploring the northern parts of Bengaluru, I found a (7-ft-long and 4-ft-wide) Veeragallu. A 30-line inscription on it, in Kannada and Sindhi, reads that the hero saved the 'Turugalu' (a large number of animals) of the territory (Kukkanadu), belonging to Krishna III of the Rashtrakuta dynasty," he says.

"In the past, animals like cows were considered valuable and were closely guarded. The stone depicts the brave fight put up by the hero against those who had come to steal the cows. The hero is depicted fighting the opponents using bow and arrows. We can see four cows behind the hero," Dhanapal explains, adding that in the act of preventing the cows from being taken away, the hero receives three arrows in his chest, stomach and legs, indicating that he died a brave death and was welcomed by angels.

Dhanapal says the inscription mentions that to compensate for the sacrifice of the hero, his family was given a piece of land.

Dhanapal has also found stones where heroes were seen waging wars to protect women. "In such inscriptions, we see carvings of women standing behind the hero," he says.

"In one of my latest explorations, I found a 10th-century stone inscription of a man sacrificing his life for the prosperity of his king. The stone was lying in front of a house in Halasuru. Only after I read the inscription and decoded it that the locals understood its value. There are many such stones and history around us, which we have to explore, document and conserve," he says.

Dhanapal's journeys around Bengaluru have revealed to him a fundamental lesson: "No matter how advanced we get, preservation of heritage buildings, sites, objects and structures is crucial, as they connect us with times, places and events, and maintain continuity from our past to our present. We all can learn where we have arrived from and where we are today."

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> - K Dhanapal, Bengaluru history enthusiast

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RETRACING 'BENGALURU'

Bengaluru was founded by Kempe Gowda I, who built a mud fort here in 1537 CE. But the oldest inscription (a Veeragallu) in present-day Bengaluru is the Hebbal-Kittayya inscription of the Ganga period (750 CE). The stone pays tribute to Kittayya, who was martyred defending his land during the reign of King Sripurusha. However, the first mention of the name 'Bengaluru' is from a Halegannada inscription dated 9th century CE, mentioning 'Bengaluru Kadana' (Battle of Bengaluru). The inscription, found near Begur, reveals that the district was part of the Ganga Kingdom and was known as 'Bengavaloru' (the City of Guards in Halegannada). Meanwhile, several findings and legends exist, each claiming to be eponymous to the city's name.

Shedegali Horticulture Farm in Khanapur, known for its variety of trees, will soon be the state's first horti-tourism hub

FRUIT-ISTIC

TUSHAR A MAJUKAR @ Belagavi

A RESEARCH centre might be able to churn out ideas but it requires the support and involvement of the people. When the world is looking for options to reduce pollution and inject greener elements into daily lives, converting a horticulture farm into a horti-tourism hub could be a significant jump.

The government-run horticulture farm, which is also a training institute and manure-making unit at Shedegali village in Khanapur taluk of Belagavi, will soon be transformed into a horti-tourism centre which will be a first for Karnataka.

The initiative will be spearheaded by Mahantesh Murgod, Deputy Director of Horticulture, Belagavi, and a project report has already been sent for approval.

The Shedegali Horticulture Farm is known for its varied and rare species of trees. At its research centre, over 30 species of fruits are grown. The saplings are sourced from around the world, and studied. Experts then carry out experiments and if they are successful, the saplings are propagated at a nursery on the Farm's premises.

The horticulture department also creates awareness among farmers about such fruit trees. Department experts encourage them to grow these trees as the produce is likely to get a good price. Since farmers may not be familiar with the techniques to grow these trees, the Farm conducts training classes and also sells these saplings to them at very low prices.

Horticulture Department Assistant Director Rajkumar D Takale, who took charge of the Farm two years ago, has brought in changes at the Farm, focusing on offering better livelihood options to farmers. He said the Shedegali Farm, through its new initiatives, will work towards the overall development of farmers.

He told The New Sunday Express that the fruit trees being grown at the Farm also have medicinal properties. But, he said, farmers in the region are used to cultivating paddy, sugarcane, vegetables and cashew like their forefathers did. They reject crop diversification as they lack knowledge and as a result, struggle financially, he added.

Mahantesh Murgod, Rajkumar Takale and Kirankumar Upale

Senior Assistant Director, Horticulture Department, Belagavi, Kirankumar Upale said the Shedegali Farm can help farmers grow economically that will eventually lead to a prosperous nation. The Farm is undertaking research and development and is sharing knowledge with farmers, he said.

Takale said Atocarpus Altilis, Synsepaium Dulciticum, Pouteria Campechiana, Syzygium Jambos (Agueum), Macadamia integrifolia, Dimocarpus Longan and even different kinds of apples are cultivated at the farm.

Enumerating the medicinal qualities of some of the fruits, Takale said jamun is good for diabetic patients as it produces haemoglobin and mitigates digestive ailments. But few know that white jamun can control cholesterol levels, he added.

The farm also has its own unit to produce vermicompost, which is offered to farmers at reasonable rates. The Farm also researches and produces honey. "We have been encouraging farmers to take up apiculture," he said.

Saplings of fruit trees being grown at horticulture farm in Shedegali of Khanapur in Belagavi district | EXPRESS

85 Agniveers set to support Army

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

AS many as 85 Agniveers passed out from the Army Service Corps (ASC) Centre (North) in Bengaluru on Saturday. The ASC Centre (North) is an institute responsible for training specialised personnel, including animal and store handlers, tradesmen and mechanical transport drivers. A total of 113 Agniveers, specialising in Mechanical Transport, passed trained at the institute. Those who passed out will go on to support ASC units in the Indian Army.

This was the first batch of Agniveers to complete training. They began training on January 1 and graduated on August 5 after 31 weeks of training. Brigadier Tejpal Singh Mann, Centre Commandant, ASC Centre (North), reviewed the passing out parade of the Agniveers. Meanwhile, all parents of the Agniveers that were present during the ceremony were awarded the Gaurav Padak medal for encouraging their wards to join the Indian Army and serve the nation.

As many as 111 Agniveers also passed out at the Maratha Light Infantry Regimental Centre in Belagavi on Saturday | EXPRESS

On Friday, 756 Agniveers across all arms and services who were recruited as part of the Agnipath scheme completed their 31 weeks of training and successfully passed out. "It is a matter of great pride that the first batch of Agniveers who had successfully completed their training with hard work, dedication, enthusiasm and passion, are finally passing out after 31 weeks of vigorous training and, beyond a doubt, the moment will be recorded in the golden page in the history of the Armed Forces. You must take the oath to serve our great nation with the utmost dedication, honesty and integrity, and must always be ready to sacrifice yourselves, if called upon," said Lt Gen BK Repswal, AVSM, VSM.

K'taka 4th in teleconsultations via e-Sanjeevani

NAMRATA SINDWANI @Bengaluru

SINCE its inception in 2020, E-Sanjeevani portal has recorded 1.32 teleconsultations provided in the state making it fourth highest in India.

Dr Arun Kumar, deputy director (e-health) said, the state is benefitting well from teleconsultations and we are now trying to measure how teleconsultations have helped reduce patient footfall over the years. There is a need for funds to perform the study, hence we have not started it yet.

The data gathered by the state health department shows that of the 1.32 crore teleconsultations, over 35 lakh were availed using direct online OPD consultation facilities. The remaining 96.81 lakh were with the support of doctors and nurses in multiple health and wellness centres.

The facility of online consultations has helped people in remote areas as they are now able to consult doctors immediately especially in case of emergencies, Dr Kumar explained. Despite these benefits, Karnataka is facing difficulties in identifying how patients are exactly benefitting. Those patients, who possibly would have been neglected due to lack of facilities, have been covered with teleconsultations but there is no data to quantify that subjective information yet, he added.

Dr Arjun Chinnappa, state chairman - medical students network, Indian Medical Association, explained that teleconsultations have helped overcome the disparity of more doctors available in Bengaluru when compared to the rest of Karnataka. Over 20,000 doctors are registered under the National Medical Council in the city in comparison to one doctor available for 10,000 people in the rest of Karnataka, he said. Especially for general illnesses, patients in remote areas would not consult doctors due to lack of accessibility but now are able to communicate with doctors at their homes with online consultations. It has also helped reduce daily patient footfall in the OPD over time.

Explained: Why you are paying 50p extra for milk

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka Cooperative Milk Producers Federation Limited (KMF) has increased the quantity of milk and also the price to address the concerns of consumers in handing over the exact change while buying half-a-litre of milk. Consumers will now get 510 ml of milk instead of 500 ml, but have to pay 50 paise more.

A senior KMF official said, "After the milk price was hiked by Rs 3, a one litre milk packet now costs Rs 42, while a half-litre packet should have been Rs 21.50. But consumers started complaining about giving the exchange. To address this issue, we increased the cost of a half-litre packet by 50 paise to round it off to Rs 22. For that 50 paise extra, we have added 10ml of extra milk."

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- 1st amongst UTs in number of services provided by Online Mode.
- Anywhere anytime governance.

Robust Citizen Feedback Mechanism
- JK first UT to have max. number of services linked with Rapid Assessment System (RAS). 300+ online services linked for feedback.
- 48 Lakh Messages sent on Rapid Assessment; 86% Approval Rating.

Jan Bhagidari portal
- Details of all developmental works available online
- Enables citizens to view all ongoing works online without any username or password

BEAMS
- Entire Budget Allocation made online via Budget Management Application -BEAMS

Curbing corruption through technology
- Aaapki Zameen Aapki Nigrani portal for citizens to access their land records online
- Auto appeal system - linking of services with Public Service Guarantee Act timelines.

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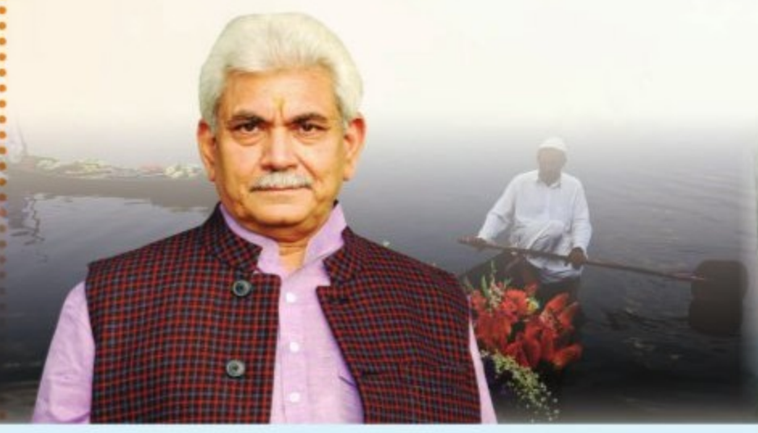

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Members of BJP Raita Morcha will hold demonstrations in districts on August 7 to protest against what they called the State Government's anti-farmers policies. BJP Raita Morcha president and Rajya Sabha member Eranna Kadadi said the Congress government has discontinued the pro-farmer policies that were implemented by the BJP government

'Not just tiger count, securing landscape vital too'

PIC: VINOD KUMAR T

PRAVEEN Bhargav, Trustee – Wildlife First and former member -- National Board for Wildlife, says the government taking back deemed forests will affect the pristine Western Ghats. In conversation with *The New Sunday Express*, he explains the impact of the amendment to the Forest Conservation Act.

Why do we count tigers, why is it important?
The whole exercise of counting how many tigers you have is like an audit in a company. You should know whether the effort that you have invested in saving tigers or any other wildlife species is in the right direction.

Karnataka is home to 563 tigers, what do these numbers mean to us?
There are a few things with respect to numbers. We need to go beyond them. Numbers give us some indication as to whether we are doing well or not. I think Karnataka has done a reasonable job in terms of putting out tiger numbers and each animal's unique identity.

What is camera trapping? What about the pugmark method?
The pugmark method of counting was a total count methodology used in the past, whereas camera trapping is based on sampling. It is an expensive method, but is used to estimate the density of tigers fairly accurately, provided sampling design is correct. From 2006, the sampling effort has gone up considerably.

How often should the census be done? Does it show tigers have sufficient space in our forests?
Earlier, the census was done every four years. Then it was done in 2020 and now in 2022. It is important to do it annually. Simple reason being there is a lot of population turnover. Cubs separate from their mothers when they are 18-24 months. These transients try to form their own territory. There is conflict, injury and death. Looking at tiger numbers annually could be important. Ullas Karanth pioneered camera trapping in India. He faced a lot of opposition from the bureaucracy then. PK Sinha, then Project Tiger director in 2004, said we need independent research and we need to move out of the pugmark assessment. That set the stage for the camera trap method.

Should only government agencies conduct census?
The system needs to recognise that there are outside specialists trained to do this, but with the department's involvement. The study should be as independent as possible. The Wildlife Institute of India is not an independent agency, but funded by the Ministry of Environment. The more you question, the more science advances... that isn't happening.

But why?
The frontline managers and staff have their own duties. They are highly pressed for time as there is a staff shortage. How can you expect a forest guard to be an expert in law enforcement, scientific method of counting tigers, doing social justice to tribal people, and so on and so forth. It is not possible.

But what about the data?
The entire data should be put on public domain as it is done with public money, so that it can be analysed. Karnataka has a lot of experts who will be happy to assist. There is nothing wrong in getting an independent assessment. Without a proper analytical framework, your numbers can go wrong.

What is camera trap?
Tigers are identified by strip patterns. Both flanks of the tigers have different patterns. So, two cameras are needed and they are placed at strategic locations. Both the flanks are photographed when the tiger passes through them. Then each tiger is given a number.

How do these tiger numbers reflect on forest management on the ground?
Here time frames come into picture. If you say in Nagarhole, we have 140+ tigers and therefore the management in the last five years has been excellent, that would be an incorrect theory. Recovery and resurgence of tigers has taken a lot of effort. Initial efforts started as early as in the 1970s after the Wildlife Act was enacted. It took a very long time to consolidate these areas, notify them, move people out and create habitats conducive for tiger population. The results started appearing only after two decades. Based on those efforts, we have reached this stage. The real issue is now to go beyond numbers and consolidate tiger habitats.

EXPRESS Dialogues

Can humans and tigers coexist?
No. Tiger has lost more than 90% of its former range to human habitations. Any human habitation affects the tiger. India has reserved about 4-4.5% of its landscape for endangered species, including tigers. India should be able to reconcile its developmental aspirations and deliver social justice using 96% of its landscape for economic development and social justice.

What about tribal relocation programmes?
Bandipur does not have people. In Nagarhole, there are 6,000 people in 600-odd sqkm that is 10 persons per sqkm. The Amazonian model of harmonial coexistence cannot be replicated here. The only win-win solution is voluntary resettlement, which has derailed in Nagarhole. Three things are needed to resolve the issue -- willingness of people to move out, offering them a good incentive-driven package and land. There are many socio-economic facilities outside. Special teams of trained officials should be constituted to do this.

But what about the money?
It is a misconception that the forest department or the forestry sector is short of funds. There is a big chunk called Compensatory afforestation funds. Rs 48,000 crore was released in 2018-19 by the Centre. It was distributed to states and Karnataka received Rs 1,300 crore. They can easily pull out Rs 300 crore for voluntary resettlement scheme. In Kali reserve, it is happening, but not in Nagarhole, MM Hills and Kudremukh.

How do you look at man-animal conflict?
This is a difficult issue. It can be reduced and managed to a large extent through a variety of things. A consolidation of habitats by removing inholdings will reduce some amount of conflict. Then we need to scientifically identify key parcels of land that may be acquired to ensure connectivity between larger habitats, so that animals can move. Corridors should be maintained wherever possible. There must also be serious curbs on land grabbing. The Revenue Department has granted crucial parts of wooded areas over the last 3-4 decades and much of the conflict is happening there.

What about civil works happening inside forests?
They need to stop. This is happening because excessive funds are being pumped into forests. A place like Nagarhole can be managed for all works, including tribal resettlement, in about Rs 10 crore. But it is getting over Rs 50 crore. National parks need not be managed only for tigers and elephants, but for all amphibians and reptiles. Endless creation of water holes also needs to stop. In places where animal population has reached beyond carrying capacity, there is a need for natural control. Wildlife parks should not be managed like manicured parks.

What is the role of activists in tribal relocation and voluntary resettlement?
They play an important role. People are generally suspicious that the government would short change them and they would be left out. You need to talk to them and understand their requirements. A lot of motivational efforts are required, which activists do. During resettlement they act as a bridge between the people and government. Post resettlement, they can handhold people. Activists play the role of watchdog to ensure that government schemes reach the people.

Any role of yours you can recollect.
The government had increased the package from Rs 10 lakh to Rs 15 lakh. We found that of the Rs 10 lakh package, 30% was the cash compensation. In the Rs 15 lakh package, the cash compensation was 15%, which was Rs 2.25 lakh. We approached then additional chief secretary Vijay Bhaskar, who said he had been cheated. He wondered why the package had been reduced.

We do not have data on the prey population....
Without prey density, you cannot have these kinds of tiger numbers. But it is always important to know those numbers. Just as we are curious and interested to know tiger numbers. We also cannot assume that all is okay. But counting prey is very difficult when compared to tigers.

Can you explain the deemed forest scenario, especially when government is talking of taking them back?
The Forest Act or the Forest Conservation Act does not have a definition of what is forest. On December 12, 1996, a Supreme Court judgment said that all areas which fall within dictionary meaning of forests, wooded areas, irrespective of whether notified or under private ownership, have to be treated as forests. So these areas were termed deemed forests. They are not reserved forests or village forests. These are crucial virgin forests even in the Western Ghats. These are intact areas. Because of this judgement, the Forest Act became applicable. If these virgin forested areas are released, it will cause havoc. They have sequestered a lot of carbon and even from climate change aspects these are important. They should not be granted. In fact, wherever there are old leased lands, the forest department should take them back as soon as the leases lapse. This is how you can consolidate the Western Ghats.

What about the amendment to Forest Conservation Act?
It is unfortunate that they are going ahead with these Acts. Scientific research has shown fragmentation or breaking down of large blocks of forests to smaller ones and creating new boundaries is the single biggest threat. The statement of objects of the FCA states that there is a need to conserve the forests to mitigate the effects of climate change. But there is no provision in the amendments to address this issue. The National Remote Sensing Agency data shows that a tremendous amount of fragmentation is already happening. The Wildlife Protection Act has around 60 Sections, Indian Forest Act 80-odd sections, Environment Act around 20 sections, but FCA has five sections, with 100-plus guidelines. Guidelines can be tweaked every other day, but not the Act.

Why did the government do this? Isn't there a proper committee or people in the committees lack knowledge?
The parliamentary committee heard all the experts and said the bill was formulated keeping in mind all the opinions. In fact, the director-general did not address the issue of fragmentation at all.

Is there a conflict between conservation and development?
It is a wrong perception that development will get affected. The principle is that only site-specific projects must be allowed and forest land should not be diverted otherwise. For example, the Hubballi-Ankola railway project. The question is should there be a rail link between Hubballi and Ankola, and the answer is yes. Does it exist already? Yes. But should you start puncturing the Western Ghats every 10-15 km with these linear intrusions? The answer is no. There is a Konkan railway line from Hubballi to Madgaon. All that is required is a Y-Junction so that trains from Hubballi go north from the existing track or take this junction to Ankola or Mangaluru or other places down south.

Are committee or board members in these various committees competent? Are they meeting regularly?
The parliamentary committees do a very thorough job. They go into details and systematically approach the issue. But it is their prerogative to accept the suggestions of the experts. It is a robust system. The central government has legislative competence to enact a law on forest conservation. But forest land is a state subject.

How are forests governed? Is it different for different states or does it come under central legislation?
The land belongs to the state. But there is central legislation, the Indian Forest Act, under which forests and the Western Ghats have been notified. Under another central legislation, the Wildlife Protection Act, some of the forests are notified as national parks and wildlife sanctuaries. Central legislation applies uniformly to all states. Since states have the administrative control of these areas, it depends on them as to how they manage and implement the central laws.

Cong sewing up its LS poll strategy, but challenges remain

Just when the new government in Karnataka is settling down and rolling out its guarantee schemes, Congress' central leadership is showing a sense of urgency and purpose to sew up its 2024 battle strategy. The Grand Old Party has set itself an ambitious target of winning over 20 out of the 28 Lok Sabha segments in the state.

The party is riding high on confidence after its success in the May 10 assembly elections. It appears like a formidable force with a proven strategy, a mix of experienced and spirited leaders working in unison, and AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge, who understands the nuances of Karnataka politics like the back of his hand. Congress leader Rahul Gandhi getting relief in a defamation case and opposition alliance Indian National Developmental Inclusive Alliance (I.N.D.I.A) taking shape may also boost the morale of the party cadres as it prepares to take on the BJP.

Going by its top leaders' comments, and how the government is trying to fast-track implementation of the guarantees, Congress is likely to make guarantees as its major poll plank in the state during the Lok Sabha polls. The party seems to be working on setting a narrative around the guarantee schemes that directly put the benefits into the hands of the people. It is trying to create a positive perception of the government even as the opposition is alleging that the development works have taken a hit due to fiscal profligacy and corruption in the new administration.

The BJP's inability to quickly decide on the Leader of the Opposition in the state assembly and a new president for its state unit may also be a factor that gives Congress that confidence. After its defeat in the assembly polls, the BJP seems to have run out of steam and waiting for the new team to bring back the dynamism required in the election year.

Be that as it may, Congress' plans of repeating its 2023 assembly polls successes in the Lok Sabha polls next year look quite challenging. While it is too early to even speculate on how things are going to evolve over the next few months, the Lok Sabha poll results in the state in the last two decades show that the BJP has consistently outperformed the Congress, although it had not done well in the assembly polls.

Even in the 2014 elections, just a year after the Congress had returned to power with a clear majority and Siddaramaiah had taken over as the Chief Minister in 2013, the BJP outdid Congress by winning 17 seats. In the 2019 polls when the JDS-Congress alliance government was in power in the state, the BJP won a record 25 out of 28 seats. Though BJP lost May 10 assembly polls and there are several serious issues, including price rise, that has not impacted Prime Minister Narendra Modi's popularity in the state. The Centre and PM's performance will be the core issues in the Lok Sabha polls.

Congress may be banking heavily on the guarantees. But, that alone will not be enough. The party needs to maintain the tempo and enthusiasm among its cadres and leaders by not allowing disgruntlement among its leaders to impact the government's image; by ensuring that development will not take a hit due to guarantees; and maintaining a clean image by not allowing corruption to creep into the system. Zero tolerance for corruption was said to be one of the directions given by the party's central leadership when they recently had a brainstorming session with state leaders to discuss the Lok Sabha poll strategy.

Also, the government's decisions like utilising the Scheduled Caste Sub Plan (SCSP) and Tribal Sub Plan (TSP) grants for implementing its guarantees may not go down well with the community. In the SCSP/TSP grants of Rs 34,294 crore, which has to be spent exclusively for the welfare of people from those communities, the government has allocated Rs 5,075 crore for the Gruha Lakshmi scheme, Rs 2,779.97 crore for Anna Bhagya, Rs 2,410 crore for Gruha Jyothi, Rs 812 crore for Shakti and Rs 67.5 crore for the Yuva Nidhi scheme.

The government has justified its decision by claiming that funds will be mandatorily used for families from the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes. But, its explanation is far from convincing. How will the government get the number of women from those communities availing the benefit of the Shakti scheme, free travel in state transport buses, or the benefits of other guarantee schemes? Can the government divert funds without having a concrete number of beneficiaries?

Steering clear of controversies is among the many challenges for the Congress government that looks to set the narrative around the guarantees ahead of Lok Sabha polls.

Siddu: BJP worried about popularity of Congress

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"THOUGH the BJP created some hurdles, we implemented Anna Bhagya of giving 10kg rice to beneficiaries. We gave 5kg rice and cash for the remaining 5kg to the beneficiaries. In all, 1.41 lakh beneficiaries will be benefited from this scheme," the CM said.

The Gruha Lakshmi scheme of providing Rs 2,000 a month to each woman head of a family will be launched on August 17. The Yuva Shakti scheme will be launched in December, he added. "The BJP, which mocked us stating that if we implement these guarantees Karnataka will become bankrupt, is now silent. It has understood our strength and is now worried about the popularity of Congress. All sections of society across the country are looking towards us for our achievements," he said. Energy Minister KJ George said former AICC president Rahul Gandhi during his Bharat Jodo Yatra listened to the problems of people from all states. This is now helping Congress in serving people in a better way, he added.

Without naming anybody directly, AICC chief Mallikarjun Kharge said, "The BJP and NDA concentrate on just abusing us, like he is of dark complexion etc. I don't want to comment on such people. I want to tell the people of the country that the Congress should be in power for the safety of the country and INDIA should get a majority in the Parliament for the welfare of the downtrodden and weaker sections, Minorities and the oppressed class."

Former law minister questions judges sharing stage with DKS

BENGALURU: Can judges of the Supreme Court and the High Court share the stage with Deputy CM DK Shivakumar — against whom cases are pending for adjudication before both the courts — at the 10th State Level Advocates' Conference organised by the Karnataka State Bar Council (KSBC) in Mysuru on August 12, former law minister **S Suresh Kumar** has asked on Facebook. Also posting an invitation to the event, Suresh Kumar said that CM Siddaramaiah too was participating in the conference. Citing protocol, the former minister asked, "My question is, can Shri DK Shivakumar participate in this programme as per the protocol of the judiciary?" "When I was Law Minister earlier, I had to participate in the inauguration of the new court building at Holalkere taluk of Chitradurga District with the then Chief Justice of the Karnataka High Court. I reminisced about an incident of being enquired about whether there was any criminal case pending against all guests (Including myself as a Law Minister) who were sharing the dais with the Chief Justice. Of course, it is a different matter that no case was pending against me," he said, adding that KSBC has to clarify on the matter. **ENS**

HDK to meet Modi, Shah to seek intervention on NICE 'illegalities'

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JDS leader HD Kumaraswamy on Saturday warned that he will submit documents related to illegalities in the Bangalore-Mysore Infrastructure Corridor (BMIC) Project, implemented by Nandi Infrastructure Corridor Enterprise (NICE) Ltd, to PM Narendra Modi and Union Home Minister Amit Shah.

He said, "I will seek their time and hand over the documents to them in person, demanding a CBI probe into the illegalities, besides releasing the documents to the media in New Delhi." "NICE, headed by former MLA Ashok Kheny, looted crores of rupees in the name of infrastructure and by exploiting farmers. I have collected all the records and will seek justice from the PM," he said.

JDS leader and former chief minister HD Kumaraswamy addresses the media in Bengaluru on Saturday | VINOD KUMAR T

Indirectly referring to DyCM DK Shivakumar, he said, "Is this why that 'gentleman' asked for a chance to hold a pen once (CM's 'gaddi'). Those who grabbed the land of poor farmers that were notified are today chanting Brand Bangalore." He alleged that cash for transfers has reached Rs 1,000 crore under the present government.

He asked Bengaluru incharge minister DK Shivakumar why Rs 710 crore of the contractor's letter of credit in the BBMP has not been released despite the decision taken in May. "When an official went on behalf of the contractors to get it released, a 10-15% commission was demanded. The commission business has started in the name of Brand Bengaluru. The 15% commission was being received through one KT Nagaraj," he alleged.

"CM Siddaramaiah has put his signature on sale. I had not done so when I was CM. I am not the hit-and-run case, but you are as you have not established the 40% commission allegation against BJP. I am ready to release the pen drive. Does this government have the guts to take action," he asked CM.

Due to maintenance works, there will be disruption in power supply from 9am to 4pm on August 6 and 7 across the city. The following areas will be affected: Old Airport Road, Kodihalli, HAL II and III Stage, Domulr, Old and New Tippasandra, MG Road, Church Street, St. Marks Road, Museum Road, Richmond Road, Kasturba Road, Ashok Nagar, Residency Road, Halasur Road, BEML Road, Defence Colony, ISRO quarters and surrounding areas

Housekeeping staffer dies after hotel gate falls on her head

The 43-year-old woman was sweeping the premises of the four-star hotel at the time of the accident; Case booked against hotel owner, other staffers

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A 43-year-old housekeeping staff member died on the spot when a huge sliding gate of a four-star hotel on Bengaluru-Tumakuru main road in the city fell on her.

The incident happened when the victim was sweeping the premises of Hotel Leroy Grand in RMC Yard police station limits on Tuesday between 9.30 am and 9.35 am.

She was rushed to a nearby private hospital where she was declared brought dead. The victim has been identified as Gangamma, a resident of Parimala Nagar in Nandini Layout.

Her husband B Mariyappa filed a complaint against Mohan, said to be the owner of the four-star hotel, Shankarappa, general manager, and another person after the incident.

Around 9.30 am, Mariyappa received a phone call from his sister after the incident. She told Mariyappa that Gangamma sustained severe head injuries after the hotel's gate fell on her and she has been shifted to a nearby private hospital.

When Mariyappa rushed to the hospital, he was informed about his wife's death. Mariyappa, who visited the hotel along with his relatives, found out that the gate was not fixed properly and his wife died due to negligence on the part of the hotel owner and staff members.

Booked

"We suspect that the sliding iron gate was not fixed properly. Only half of the gate should have been opened. But on that fateful day, a staff member opened the gate fully. The gate, which had no support, fell on Gangamma causing her serious head injuries. A case has been registered against the hotel owner and other staff members. Police have initiated action against them. They have been booked for causing her death by negligence under Section 304A of the Indian Penal Code," said a police officer.

Gangamma, who joined the hotel six months ago, had four children. She was the sole bread-earner of the family as her husband is an alcoholic.

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> Police

The hotel is said to have paid compensation to the victim's family members.

Meanwhile, general manager of the hotel Shankarappa said that the matter has been settled. The hotel management has given compensation to the victim's family members. They have accepted it. "It was just like any other incident and nothing big to report," he said.

Cops' transfer in a day or two: Dr G

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HOME Minister Dr G Parameshwara on Saturday clarified that the transfers of the inspectors that were kept on hold will be cleared either on Monday or Tuesday.

He denied the allegations of JDS leader and former chief minister HD Kumaraswamy that Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's son Dr Yathindra was interfering in transfers.

"By Monday or Tuesday we will set things right and issue the orders against the transfers that were kept in abeyance," Parameshwara said.

Of the 211 inspectors transferred, 90 per cent have reported to their stations, while only ten have not due to technical issues that will be sorted out by Monday, he added.

He said it is not wrong to use a portion of the SC Sub Plan/Tribal Sub Plan funds meant for the welfare of SC/STs to implement the five guarantees. "It is false propaganda that the SCSP/TSP amount is being diverted for the guarantees. A large portion of beneficiaries would be SC/STs, the backward people and the poor in general. BJP, which is anti-poor, has been finding fault," he said.

"As against Rs 30,000 crore in the budget, they had allocated Rs 22,000 to Rs 25,000. But they had diverted that amount to construct roads and for other purposes as deemed expenditure under SCSP/TSP funds. They should introspect on that," he added.

SHOWING SUPPORT

Members of the Karnataka Meitei Association stage a demonstration to save Manipur, in Bengaluru on Saturday | VINOD KUMAR T

Intensified Indhradhanush Mission 5.0 vaccination programme from tomorrow

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The Intensified Indhradhanush Mission (IMI) 5.0, aiming to enhance immunisation coverage for all vaccines specified in the National Immunisation schedule, will begin in Karnataka on Monday.

The nationwide programme will be held in three phases - first phase (August 7-12), second phase (September 11-16) and third phase (October 9-14). IMI will target left out children and pregnant women from high-risk areas like slums, peri-urban areas, construction sites and migrant workers for the timely vaccination as per the National Immunisation Programme. In total, 1,65,000 children (0-5 age group) and 32, 917 pregnant women have been identified to be vaccinated from 16,516 high-risk areas in Karnataka.

According to the National Family Health Survey (NFHS) - 5, Karnataka has an immunisation coverage of 84.1% and measles/rubella-1 coverage of 91%. Bagalkot, Ballari, Bengaluru Urban, BBMP, Belagavi, Dakshina Kannada, Dharwad, Kalaburagi, Mysore, Raichur, Vijayapura and Yadgir are high-risk districts, said the health department. Efforts are on to train health workers in 24,973 sessions to ensure smooth implementation of the programme.

Disability questions in NFHS: HC notice to ministry

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THE Karnataka High Court issued a notice to the Union Ministry of Health and Family Welfare on a PIL filed by the Javed Abidi Foundation, questioning the exclusion of questions on disability in the National Family Health Survey 6.

A division bench of Chief Justice Prasanna B Varale and Justice MGS Kamal passed the order after hearing the petition filed by the foundation, represented by Trustee and Convener Shameer Rishad.

Praying the court to direct the ministry to include the 21 disabilities mentioned in the Schedule to the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act in the household questionnaire for the NFHS 6, the petitioner stated that the ministry claimed that disability had already been enumerated in the 76th Round of the NSSO (2018), that there would be no change in the figures and that high-level committees, including the Technical Advisory Committee, recommended the removal of disability questions which is illegal and defies logic.

The exclusion of disability from the survey makes it impossible to collect disaggregated data on disability which is an urgent requirement keeping in view not only the statute, the Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the New Disability Policy, the petitioner pleaded.

RELIGIOUS STRUCTURES ACT: STATE GETS NOTICE

BENGALURU: Acting on a PIL, challenging the legality of the Karnataka Religious Structures (Protection) Act, the Karnataka High Court issued a notice to the state government. A division bench of Chief Justice Prasanna B Varale and Justice MGS Kamal passed the order after hearing the petition filed by D Keshavamurthy, a resident of Sarjapur Road.The petitioner contended that the object of the Act is to circumvent the supreme court and high court order. The Act promotes illegality and unlawfulness in the name of religion. As an interim relief, the Act must be stayed to prevent mushrooming of illegal structures, he stated. The petitioner stated that the Supreme Court directed that no unauthorised construction of religious structures should be carried out or permitted after September 29, 2009. The Act, however, seeks to protect illegal structures until October 21, 2021. He stated that the impugned Act treats legal and illegal structures prior to October 21, 2021, alike. The construction is and will continue to be in contravention of various applicable statutes, including the Karnataka Town and Country Planning Act, Karnataka Municipal Corporation Act. It is also against the rule of law, the petitioner claimed. ENS

BTech graduates from AP held for stealing Bullets

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TWO BTech graduates from Andhra Pradesh have been arrested in two vehicle theft cases. The accused, who came to the city to undergo training in a placement agency, lifted the Bullets on their way back to Andhra Pradesh. Two Bullets have been recovered from them. The accused are identified as Hemadri, 23, and Pavan, 23, both from Tirupati. The duo — both classmates — was arrested on Thursday from Andhra Pradesh and both the Bullets have been recovered.

Hemadri was undergoing training at a placement agency in Hanumanthanagar area for the last 10 months. He recently invited Pavan to Bengaluru. The two while returning stole the two Bullets — one in Hanumanthanagar and the other in Kempegowda Nagar. "The accused have committed thefts for the first time. They claim to have stolen the Bullets just out of curiosity. They were produced before a court after the arrest. Both the accused are out on bail," said the police.

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POSSESSION NOTICE
(For Immovable Property)

Where as the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Federal Bank Ltd. under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) of the said Act read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Rules) issued a demand notice dated 24/05/2023 calling upon the borrowers (1) Vijay K G, S/o Govindaraju K V R/at Sodexo On Site Services, No. 110/1, M Krishnappa Layout, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560027 (2) Meghavathi A, W/o Vijay K G R/at Kailancha Hobali, Krishnapuradoddi Kunagal Krishnapuradoddi, Ramanagaram Ramanagar, Karnataka – 562159 both R/at Flat No. B207, 1st Floor, 2nd level, B Block, Le' Grand Park View, Rajarajeshwarinagar, Kenchanahalli Main, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560098 and also at KPD 135 KP Doddi Village, Post Kailancha Hobli, Ramanagar, Kylancha, Ramnagaram, Bangalore Urban, Karnataka – 562159 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being Rs. 45,04,000/- (Rupees Forty Five Lakh and Four Thousand only) under FHS Loan account No. 13877300004138 within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules on this 01st day of August the year 2023.

The borrower/s' attention is invited to the provisions of section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets (security properties).

The borrower in particular and public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Federal Bank Ltd. for an amount of Rs.45,26,659/- (Rupees Forty Five Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Nine Only) as on 14.07.2023 under FHS Loan Account No 13877300004138 and interest thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property

All the piece and parcel of (356 Sq. Ft. undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership in the land) the residential apartment bearing No. B207 in first floor, B Block/Wing of the residential building known as Le' Grand Park View, measuring 1282 Sq. Ft. super built up area existing and/or to be constructed and all other improvements thereon inclusive of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lift, stair cases and other areas of common use approximately with the right to use one covered car parking space bearing No. B207 built in residentially converted land bearing Municipal Corporation No. 130/2/38/2/2 (formerly bearing Khatha No. 130/1/38/2/1 and 130/2/38/2/2 and being portion of residentially converted land in Sy-No. 38/2 including site No. 3, 4, 5 and 6 situated at Kenchanahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, Karnataka State presently within the limits of BBMP Ward No. 160 Bangalore, within the Sub registrar of R R Nagar, Bangalore, totally measuring 24180 Sq. Ft. and apartment is bounded on East: Apartment No. B208, Le' Grand Park View, West: Apartment No. B206, Le' Grand Park View, North: Corridor, Apartment No. B202 and A Block of Le' Grand Park View, South: Open Spaces and Other's property and the entire property bounded on East: 40 Ft. Road and BHEL Layout and remaining portion of same property bearing Sy. No. 38/2, West: Remaining portion of the same Sy. No. 38/2 reserved for Buffer Zone, North: BBMP Park, South: 30 Ft. Road, Surya Residency and remaining portion of the same Sy. No. 38/2.

Date : 01.08.2023
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Federal Bank Ltd

CRIME PATROL

Man, wife kill 60-yr-old mom for property

ENS @Bengaluru

A 60-year-old woman has been murdered by her son and his wife over a property at Yerthiganahalli in Devanahalli. The victim is Chinamma. Her son Raghavendra and daughter-in-law Sudha are now in police custody.

Chinamma had lost her husband a year ago. The victim had decided to sell her property and equally share among her two sons. Raghavendra, her first son, who wanted a bigger share in the property, was fighting with Chinamma. On Saturday morning, when Chinamma was going to collect firewood, her son and his wife followed her. They fought with her and hit her head with a weapon. They then called the ambulance and shifted Chinamma to the hospital where she was declared dead.

4 MEN WHO TRAVELLED BY AIR TO COMMIT THEFT ARRESTED

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A gang of four interstate thieves, who used to travel by air to commit the thefts, have been arrested by the Sanjaynagar police. The accused had committed theft at a software engineer's house in Dollars Colony on July 29. The police have recovered Rs 78 lakh worth stolen gold from them.

The accused are Minthu Vishwas, Harish Chandra, Chandrabanu and Jasvir, all from Uttar Pradesh. The accused stayed in a lodge in Yesvantpur. Their modus operandi was to go around the city on two-wheelers to identify locked houses in upscale areas. After selecting a house, they would share the location on WhatsApp. The accused had stolen 1.4 kg of diamond, gold and other valuables from the complainant's house.

The police arrested the accused on July 31 at the Shahin Toll on the Kanniyakumari-Agra Highway. The accused have committed similar offences in Delhi, Bihar and Kerala. One of the accused arrested was involved in a theft case in Hanumanthanagar. The police, who had his data, managed to identify him through his beard.

26-year-old techie attacked by jilted lover

BENGALURU: A 28-year-old jilted lover has been arrested by the MICO Layout Police for attacking his girlfriend with an iron rod after she started to avoid him. The victim with severe head injuries is being treated in NIMHANS. Both are software professionals. The incident happened on Wednesday. The accused identified as Ravi Kumar works at a private firm in the city. The 26-year-old victim identified as Sneha was interning in the firm where the accused worked. The two reportedly became close and the woman managed to get a job in a different company. Kumar was upset as she was avoiding him and not answering his calls. He suspected that she was in a relationship with another person. On the day of the incident around 3.30 pm, he called her asking her to meet him near his PG accommodation in MICO Layout area. The two ensued in a heated argument and the accused attacked her with an iron rod injuring her head. Passersby rushed her to a nearby hospital. She is currently undergoing treatment at NIMHANS. ENS

Rowdy hacked to death near Parappana Agrahara jail

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MINUTES after coming out of jail, a notorious rowdy sheeter was hacked to death a few meters away from the Parappana Agrahara central prisons on Friday night.

The victim has been identified as Mahesh alias Siddapura Mahesh, 45. He was married just a month ago.

According to the police, the murder was in retaliation to the killing of another rowdy sheeter in which Mahesh was part of. The accused, who had come on bikes and a SUV, chased and killed him in full public view. The victim's gang leader, Shantinagar Linga, was also murdered at his farmhouse at Channarayapatna in December 2020. After Linga's murder, Mahesh and his associates had killed the member of the rival gang identified as Madan of Jayanagar on July 2 near the Banashankari Metro station. The Parappana Agrahara police have registered a case. Four teams have been formed to arrest the accused.

Mahesh, who was arrested in an attempt to murder case two months back, was released on Friday. The victim was murdered near the Hosa Road junction. His murder is said to be in retaliation to Madan's murder.

The police are suspecting the involvement of another notorious rowdy sheeter of Wilson Garden area behind Mahesh's murder. The Parappana Agrahara police have registered a case.

DON'T WATCH THE CLOCK; DO WHAT IT DOES. KEEP GOING › SAM LEVENSON
QuoteExpress

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E-TENDER cum E-AUCTION SALE
ई-निविदा सह ई-निलामी बिक्री

SALE OF DECOMMISSIONED PLANT A/c NLCIL, TS1, Neyveli EA-18368 on 31/08/23. Work: Dismantling & Disposal of Plant & Machinery including Plant Buildings of Decommissioned TPS-I 600 MW. For details visit website: www.mstcecommerce.com/ www.mstcindia.co.in. BIDDERS SHOULD REGULARLY VISIT ABOVE WEBSITES TO KEEP THEMSELVES UPDATED.
देखें। बोलीकर्ता, स्वयं को अद्यतन रखने के लिए नियमित रूप से उपर्युक्त वेबसाइट देखते रहें।

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE Vth ADDITIONAL FAMILY JUDGE, AT BANGALORE
G & WC No: 152/2023

Between : SRI. ARUN KUMAR N S S/o Sri. N.T. Seethabyrappa Aged about 44 years R/at No. 24, 3rd, F Main Road, 4th Cross, Nagamma Layout, Kaval Byrasandra, Bangalore-560032.
...Petitioner
And: Nil ...Respondent

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner has filed the above petition under section 7 & 8 of Guardian & Wards Act, 1890 for appointment of the petitioner- Arun Kumar.N.S for guardian of the person of TRISHNA ASHOK D/o Late. Ashok Kumar N.S and Late Shilpa.D; and granting permanent custody of her to the Petitioner.

It is hereby informed that anybody having any objections or interest in this matter is hereby informed to appear before this Hon'ble court on 21.09.2023 at 11 A.M in-person or any pleader duly instructed failing which matter will be heard and determined without any claim or objection.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court this 13th day of July, 2023.

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Senior Sheristedar
Family Court Bangalore

Advocate for Petitioner
Sathish. C Advocate
Office at. No.17/1, 1st Floor, 3rd Cross, Malleshwaram Bangalore 560003.

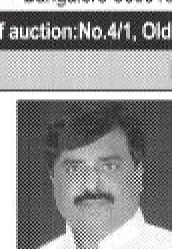
THE CITIZEN CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

No.651/A, 1st Main Road, 'D' Block, 2nd Satge, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore - 560010.Phone : 080 - 2332 1923, 2332 8735

TENDER – CUM – AUCTION SALE NOTICE

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION AND RE CONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.

Whereas, the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorised Officer, **THE CITIZEN CO-OP BANK LTD.,** has taken possession of the mortgaged properties including those more fully described hereunder, and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower	Description of Property and Boundaries & Measurement	Reserve Price and EMD	Balance Outstanding Amount to be paid to Bank	Date & Time of opening tender & place of auction
DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY - RESERVE FOR ONLY 2ND FLOOR					
1.	**1) Mrs. Usha** W/o L Raghavendra **2). Mr. Madhusudhan R** S/o Usha **3) Ms. R Manasa** D/o Usha All are residing at: No.261, 1st Floor, 53rd 'D' Cross, 3rd 'Y' Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010	All that part and parcel of the property bearing **No.4/1, Old No. 261, 2nd Floor,** 53rd D Cross, Rajajinagar, 3rd Block, **PID No.22-63-4/1,** Ward No.22, Bangalore. Residential building located on the Second Floor of built up area 800 sq. ft. with proportionate undivided share of land 675 sq. ft. constructed on Ground and First Floor (Built up area of Ground and First Floor is 1600 sq. ft.) on total plot area 1350 sq. ft. Bounded By: **East:** Property No.262, **West:** Property No.260, **North:** Road, **South:** Property No.268.	**Rs.86,85,000/- (Rupees Eighty Six Lakhs Eighty Five Thousand Only) EMD: 10% of the Reserve Price Rs.8,68,500/- (Rupees Eight Lakh Sixty Thousand Five Hundred Only)**	**Rs. 57,92,966/- (Interest & other Charges as on 20/06/2023**	**22/08/2023 at 12.30 PM EMD Date 22/08/2023 before 12.00 A M.**
Place of auction:No.4/1, Old No. 261, 2nd Floor, 53rd D Cross, Rajajinagar, 3rd Block, PID No.22-63-4/1, Ward No.22, Bangalore.					
DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY					
2.	 **1. Mr. Srinivas Murthy S M** S/o S M Mallaiah No.30/1, 10th Main, Shivanagar, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010 **2. Mrs. T Manjula** W/o Srinivas Murthy No.30/1, 10th Main, Shivanagar, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010.	All that part and parcel of the property bearing No.30/1, PID No.20-17-30/1, 10th Main, Shivanagara, Rajajinagara, Ward No.20, Bangalore and measuring East to West 16 feet and North to South 53 feet. Bounded by: **East:** S Gopinath's Property, **West:** 53x16 common passage & S M Puttaraju's Property, **North:** Krishnappa's Property, **South:** Road.	**Rs.63,54,000/- (Rupees Sixty Three Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand Only) EMD: 10% of the Reserve Price Rs.6,35,400/- (Rupees Six Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand Four Hundred Only)**	**Rs.16,32,981/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Thirty Two Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty One Only) due and payable by you as on 20/06/2023**	**23/08/2023 at 12.30 PM EMD Date 23/08/2023 before 12.00 A M.**
Place of auction: No.30/1, PID No.20-17-30/1, 10th Main, Shivanagara, Rajajinagara, Ward No.20, Bangalore.					

(1) The Tender form can be collected from **The Citizen Co-Op Bank Ltd., No.651/A, 1st Main Road, D Block, 2nd Stage, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010. (Ph. 080-23321923, 23328735)** on all working days during office hours. **(2)** The intending bidders should submit their bids in the prescribed tender form in closed cover along with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favour of The Citizen Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore- payable at Bangalore. The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Tender-cum-Auction Sale Notice. **(3)** Tenders not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. The tender along with the EMD shall be submitted at The Citizen Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore latest by **(Sl No.1 Property) 22/08/2023 before 12.30 A M. (Sl No.2 Property) 23/08/2023 before 12.30 A M.** Tender without EMD shall be summarily rejected and the bidders will not be permitted to participate in Auction. **(4)** The property "SHALL NOT" be sold below the reserve price. **(5)** In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **(6)** The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. **(7)** The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorised Officer in the presence of the available / attending bidders at **(Sl No.1 Property) 12.30 PM on 22/08/2023. (Sl No.2 Property) 12.30 PM on 23/08/2023. (8)** After opening the tenders, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorised Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price. **(9)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **(10)** The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws. **(11)** The Authorised Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **(12)** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **(13)** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between 10.00 AM and -5.00PM at his/her expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. **(14)** The property is put for sale on "AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION". The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property.

For further details the intending bidders may contact the Authorised Officer, The Citizen Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore No.651/A, 1st Main Road, D Block, 2nd Stage, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010, for ascertaining the details of property and also for inspection of property (Contact No.080-23321923, 23328735) E-Mail:citizenbk@rediffmail.com

Date: 05.08.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
THE CITIZEN CO-OP BANK LTD.,

PUBLIC NOTICE

This informed whom so ever instant that my client **SRI.M.MAHESH,** S/o. T.Munishamappa, R/at.Marishamappa Layout,Chikkabalapura Road, Vijayapura Town, Bangalore District, has last the original documents property bearing Sy.No.559 measuring 0-24 guntas, Sy.No.563 measuring 0-31 Guntas, Sy.No.564 measuring 0-17 guntas, Sy.No.565 measuring 0-14 guntas and Sy.No.566 measuring 0-25 guntas (Totally measuring 2 acres 31 guntas) , all are situated at Devanahalli Village, KasabaHobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, The Sale deed dated 16.11.2006, Document Number 7100/2006-07, CDNo.DNHD116 of Book-1.

The Above said Document lost by client and My client lodged the complaint before Police Station through E-Lost No.0672071/2023 dated 04.08.2023.

In case any person/s have purchase above said properties is illegal and there is no right title Intent, expect my client

K.V. Mahendra Kumar, Advocate,
Abhay Complex, 1st Floor, Sulibele Road, Devanahalli Town- 562110.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General public that our clients intend to purchase vacant site bearing No.2, comprised in Sy.No.74/1 of B.M.Kaval village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru South taluk, Agara Grama Panchayat limits, measuring East-West:30 feet & North-South:20 feet, bounded on the East by : Private property, West by : Road, North by : Site No.1, South by : Site No.3from its owner **Mrs.K N SHANTHAKUMARI,** W/o Ramachandra M V. Any person/s asserting any kind of right, title, interest or claims of any sort towards the Sale transaction may file their objections or claims with documentary proof thereof with the undersigned within **SEVEN** days from the date of this publication, failing which our clients will proceed to complete the transaction without being liable for any claims put forth thereof.

PRAROOP LAW
K.R.PRADEEP, ADVOCATE
#31/9, 'NCP Tower', I Floor, I Main, Mount Joy extension, Hanumanthnagar, Bengaluru -19. Phone : 9886012455.
E-mail :praroopiaw@gmail.com
Bengaluru, Date: 05/08/2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients intend to purchase the below mentioned schedule properties (item no 1 and 2) from Sri. T.K Ram Kumar and C.N Raghavendra (agreement holder) who claim to be the absolute owner in possession and occupation of the schedule properties. Any Persons/institutions or any person claiming any right, title or interest or claims over the schedule properties may lodge their claims with documents with the undersigned within 15 days from today failing which my clients shall consider that there are no subsisting claims/encumbrances in respect of the schedule property and shall continue to deal with the schedule properties thereto.

SCHEDULE

Item No 1: ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL of property bearing no.117 (formerly portion of site no 117) Khata no. 296/117,(PID no. 100-570-117) Survey no 28/2,29 and 30/2 of measuring East to West 65 feet and North to South 40 feet totally measuring 2600 sq feet situated at 6th Cross Road, Narayanappa Extension Geddalahalli, Geddalahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru (BBMP Ward no 100) and bounded on

East by : Road
West by : Property no 118
North by : Property bearing municipal no. 117/A
South by : 7th Cross Road

Item No II: ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL of property bearing no. 117/A, Khata no.296/117, (PID no. 100-427-117/A) Survey no 28/2,29 and 30/2 of measuring East to West 65 feet and North to South 40 feet totally measuring 2600 sq feet situated at 6th Cross Road, Narayanappa Extension Geddalahalli, Geddalahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru (BBMP Ward no 100) and bounded on

East by : Road
West by : AECS Layout
North by : 7th Cross Road
South by : Property bearing no.117

R.Rashmi Sagar, Advocate
No.7/1, Ist floor Patalamma Temple St, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-4
Bangalore, Dt.: 5-8-2023

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರ

ಟಿ. ಚೌಡಯ್ಯ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಕುಮಾರ ಪಾರ್ಕ್ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು - 560 020.

ನಂ:ಬೆಂಅಪ್ರಾ/ನಯೋಸ/CLU-17/1001/2023-24 ದಿನಾಂಕ:05.08.2023

ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ನಗರ ಮತ್ತು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಯೋಜನಾ ಕಾಯ್ದೆ 1961 ರ ಕಲಂ 14-A ರ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಅರ್ಜಿದಾರರು ವ್ಯವಸಾಯ ವಲಯದಿಂದ ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಉಪಯೋಗಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಭೂಉಪಯೋಗ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಕೋರಿ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಭೂಉಪಯೋಗ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯ ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾವನೆಯ ವಿವರಗಳು ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡಂತೆ ಇರುತ್ತದೆ. ಸದರಿ ಭೂಉಪಯೋಗ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾವನೆ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಯಾವುದೇ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳಿದ್ದರೆ, ಈ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಪ್ರಕಟವಾದ ದಿನಾಂಕದಿಂದ 15 ದಿವಸಗಳೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಸಲಹೆ/ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳನ್ನು ಲಿಖಿತವಾಗಿ ನಗರ ಯೋಜಕ ಸದಸ್ಯರು, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಕಛೇರಿಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ನಿಗದಿತ ಅವಧಿಯ ನಂತರ ಬರುವ ಯಾವುದೇ ಸಲಹೆ/ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

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				ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀಸಾಗರ	8/2			

ಷರಾ: ಅರ್ಜಿದಾರರು ಪ್ರಸ್ತಿತ ಜಮೀನನ್ನು ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಉಪಯೋಗಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಪಡಿಸಿದರೆ ಸದರಿ ಜಮೀನಿನಲ್ಲಿ ವಿನ್ಯಾಸ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ನಡೆಯುವಾಗ ಸ್ಥಳೀಯ ಕೂಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಮಿಕರಿಗೆ ಉದ್ಯೋಗ ದೊರಕುತ್ತದೆ. ಸದರಿ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಯಿಂದ ಸುತ್ತಲಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಗೆ ಸಹಕಾರಿಯಾಗಲಿದೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ತೆರಿಗೆ ಸಂಗ್ರಹವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಹಾಗೂ ವಿನ್ಯಾಸ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಯಾದ ಮೇಲೆ ಅರ್ಹ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ವಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಉದ್ಯೋಗ ದೊರೆಯಲಿದೆ ಎಂಬ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಹಿತಾಸಕ್ತಿ ಅಂಶ ಅಡಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸುತ್ತಾ ಸದರಿ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು "ವ್ಯವಸಾಯ" ವಲಯದಿಂದ "ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ" ಉಪಯೋಗಕ್ಕೆ ಭೂಉಪಯೋಗ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಮಾಡಲು ಕೋರಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.

BDA/PRO/CLU/11/2023-24 ಸಹಿ/- ನಗರ ಯೋಜಕ ಸದಸ್ಯರು, ಬೆಂಅಪ್ರಾ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Authorised Officer's Details:	RACPC MALLESHWARAM (41161)
Name : Sri. K.C.Manjunath E-mail ID: racpc.bz1@sbi.co.in Mobile No: 9945256467 Landline No. (office) : 080-25943732, 25943720	No. 97, Railway Parallel Road, Kumarapark West, Bangalore -560020. Ph: 080 25943732, 25943720. Fax : 080 25943729/3730 Email Id : racpc.bz1@sbi.co.in

APENDIX IV-A [See proviso to Rule 8(6)]
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
E-auction SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSET UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 READ WITH PROVISO Rule 8 (6) of the security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s), that the below described immovable properties mortgaged / charged to the Secured creditor, **Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of State Bank of India, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on **08.09.2023** for recovery of **Rs. 67,86,654/-** (Rupees Sixty Seven Lakhs Eighty Six Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Four only) as on 03.08.2023 + interest + expenses and costs, due to **State Bank of India,** Secured creditor from **Sri. Vinayak R Hegde** S/o Sri. Ramachandra Hegde (Borrower/s). The reserve price, earnest money deposit and bid increment amount and last date for receipt of EMD will be as under:-

Reserve Price (Below which the properties will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit	Bid increment Amount
Rs. 76,16,000/-	Rs. 7,61,600/-	Rs. 50,000/-

Description of Property : (Title deed holder: Sri. Vinayak R Hegde S/o Sri. Ramachandra Hegde) Schedule "A" Property : Item No.1 : All that piece and parcel of eastern portion of Residential Converted Land bearing Sy. No. 6/1, BBMP Katha No. 1033/924/6/1, measuring 31.5 Guntas (including 1 Gunta of Kharab Land) out of 1 Acre 23 Guntas (including 2 Guntas Kharab Land) situated in Hoskerehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, duly converted from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural Residential Purpose Vide Deputy Commissioner, order bearing No. ALN(S) SR (S.U)32/09-10 dated 08.10.2009, now coming under the purview of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Ward No.160 and bounded on : **East by :** Remaining Portion of Sy. No. 6/1, belonging to Mr. S. Vasantha Rao with existing RCC Roof building along with protective mesh compound along the border, **West by :** Remaining portion of Sy. No. 6/1, purchased by M/s Saketh Builders from Smt. V K Bharathi, **North by :** 30 feet Road (towards North East Corner) and remaining property bearing Sy. No. 6/1, i.e., Datta Layout Property, **South by :** Private Property bearing Sy. No. 136.

Item No. 2 : All that piece and parcel of western portion of Residential Converted Land bearing Sy. No. 6/1, BBMP Katha No. 1032/924/6/1, measuring 31.5 Guntas (including 1 Gunta of Kharab Land) out of 1 Acre 23 Guntas (including 2 Guntas Kharab Land) situated in Hoskerehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, duly converted from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural Residential Purpose vide Deputy Commissioner, order bearing No. ALN(S) SR (S.U)32/09-10 dated 08.10.2009, now coming under the purview of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Ward No.160 and bounded on : **East by :** Remaining Portion of Sy. No. 6/1, belonging to M/s Saketh Consturctions from Smt.V.K.Bharathi, **West by :** Property bearing Sy. No. 7, **North by :** 30 feet Road (towards North West Corner) and remaining property bearing Sy. No. 6/1, i.e., Datta Layout Property, **South by :** Private Property bearing Sy. No. 136.

Both the items having amalgamated property bearing Municipal / BBMP No. 1032/924/6/1, Converted Land bearing Sy. No. 6/1, duly converted from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural Residential Purpose vide Deputy Commissioner, order bearing No. ALN(S) SR (S.U)32/09-10 dated 08.10.2009 situated in Hoskerehali Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, now coming under the purview of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Ward No. 160, totally measuring 66429 Sq.feet and having a common boundary as hereunder : **East by :** Remaining Portion of Sy. No. 6/1, belonging to Mr. S. Vasantha Rao with existing RCC Roof building along with protective mesh compound along the border, **West by :** Property bearing Sy. No. 7, **North by :** Road (towards North West Corner) and remaining property bearing Sy. No. 6/1, i.e., Datta Layout Property, **South by :** Private Property bearing Sy. No. 136.

Schedule "B" Property : 345 Sq.feet ofundivided share, right, title and interest and ownership in Schedule "A" Property.

Schedule "C" Property : Three Bed Rooms, Flat No. 208 in the **Second Floor** of **"TERRUM BLOCK"** in Apartment building known as **"SAKETH HILLSIDE"** constructed on the Schedule 'A' Property, having a super built-up area of **1400 Sq.feet** along with **one covered car parking slot provided in the Stilt / Basement,** held in the name of **Sri. Vinayak R Hegde** together with proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircases, lift, generator, corridors, overhead tank, sump water and other areas of common use (including one half depth of joints between the ceiling of the building above it and internal and external walls between such levels)

To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.

Date and Time during which inspection of the immovable secured assets to be sold and intending bidders should satisfy themselves about the assets and their specification. **On 31.08.2023 between 11.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M.** with prior appointment. Contact person with mobile number **Sri. Anjan Kumar. D, Cell No. 8660590654.**

Date : 03.08.2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorised Officer
State Bank of India, RACPC, Malleshwaram, Bangalore

BEFORE THE HONOUARBLE RENT CONTROL COURT
ERNAKULAM
R.C.P. NO 171 OF 2021

Mrs Zanooba Saeed Muhammad & Others – Petitioners
Vs
Dr Anupam Deb – Respondent

NOTICE TO RESPONDENT:
Dr Anupam Deb, aged about 49 years
S/o Gen: Deb Kumar, CEO, M/s Ad Group Company
Address: No: 34/1, 1st Floor, Dickenson Road, Bangalore
PIN 560042, now residing at:
Bearys Anugraha, Flat A-65 KSFC Layout Near Naga Temple, Lingarajapuram
PIN – 560084

The above Rent Control Petition filed for the eviction of respondent from the petition schedule building stands posted for hearing at 11 am on 21.08.2023. You are requested to appear in The Honourable Rent Control Court of Ernakulam in person or through pleader on that day, failing which the RCP will be decided in your absence.
Dated this the 31st day of July, 2023

By order of the Court
M/s N.S. Mohamed Usman & P. Priya Devi
Counsel for the Petitioner

PUBLIC NOTICE

Raja Symphone Housing Pvt Ltd and M/s Raja Angsana Construction Pvt Ltd, we are fully seized and possessed of Property bearing plot no 18, 19 A and 19 B, Sadaramangala Industrial Area, comprised in Sy.Nos. Part of 76 and 87 within the village limits of Sadaramangala, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore, We have misplaced / lost the title documents pertaining to the Property and we have lodged police complaint on the same, the missing documents are as per the list below-

1. Letter of Allotment dated 16/12/2009 bearing No.HO/ALLOT/AS(ADM)/18581/11282/2009-10
2. Confirmatory Letter of Allotment was allotted by KIADB on 28/04/2010 bearing No.HO/ALLOT/AS(ADM)/18581/1450/2009-10
3. Possession Certificate dated 07/05/2010 bearing No.IADB/NO.IADB/ 18581/DO-II/492/2010-11,
4. Lease-cum-Sale Agreement on 09/06/2011 registered as Document No.1425/2011-12 in Book-I and stored in C.D.No.MDPD85, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Mahadevapura.
5. Letter of Allotment dated 16/12/2009 bearing No.HO/ALLOT/AS(ADM)/18582/11281/2009-10. a Confirmatory Letter of Allotment was allotted by KIADB on 28/04/2010 bearing No.HO/ALLOT/AS(ADM)/18582/1449/2009-10
6. Confirmatory Letter of Allotment was allotted by KIADB on 28/04/2010 bearing No.HO/ALLOT/AS(ADM)/18581/1450/2009-10
7. KIADB vide Possession Certificate dated 07/05/2010 bearing No.IADB/NO.IADB/18582/DO-II/491/2010-11,
8. Lease-cum-Sale Agreement on 10/06/2011 registered as Document No.1426/2011-12 in Book-I and stored in C.D.No.MDPD85, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Mahadevapura

If any person has found or is in possession of the aforementioned document, kindly return the same to the undersigned.

: SCHEDULE PROPERTY:

Item No 1: All that land known as Plot No.18 of Sadaramangala Industrial Area, comprised in Sy.Nos. Part of 76 and 87 within the village limits of Sadaramangala, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore District, containing by admeasurements 16,621.00 Sq. Mtrs., or thereabouts and bounded by :

East : KIADB Road;
West : Private Land;
North : Property bearing Plot No.17-C; and
South : Property bearing Plot Nos.19-A and 19-B.

Item No II: All that land known as Plot Nos.19A & 19B of Sadaramangala Industrial Area, comprised in Sy.Nos. Part of 76 and 87 within the village limits of Sadaramangala, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore District, containing by admeasurements 16,615.00 Sq. Mtrs., or thereabouts (less 82.95 Sq.Mtrs., acquired for Metro Rail Project) and bounded by :

East : KIADB Road;
West : Private Land and Plot No.19-C;
North : Property bearing Plot No.18; and
South : Property bearing Plot No.19-C and Whitefield Main Road.

Authorised Signatory
M/s. RAJA ANGASANA CONSTRUCTION PVT. LTD.,
M/s. RAJA SYMPHONYE HOUSING PVT. LTD.

UNION BANK OF INDIA

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DEVANAHALLI BRANCH

Near Jain Temple, B.B.Road, Devanahalli, Bangalore Rural, Karnataka-562110
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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction 15 days Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged / charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/ physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of **Union Bank of India** (secured creditor), will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is"** on the date mentioned below, for recovery of dues as mentioned hereunder to **Union Bank of India** from the below mentioned Borrower(s)& Guarantor(s). The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit are also mentioned hereunder:

1. Name and address of the Borrower, Co-Applicant and Guarantor : 1. Srinivasa S/o Chikkanarasimhappa, Kadhirishettihalli village, Gudibande Taluk, Chikkaballapura Dt-561204. **Guarantor: 2. G Nagaraj,** S/o Late. P Gangaiah, 3rd Ward, Patel Shettappa Street, Tipu Sultan Road, Devanahalli Taluk.

Outstanding Amount : Rs.21,14,324/- (Rupees Twenty One Lakh Fourteen Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty Four Only) as on **03.08.2023** and Feature interest/cost/expenses thereon.

Description of immovable secured assets to be Sold: All that piece and parcel of Residential land Khata no. 3854/3854/9(OLD)3854/9(NEW),Site No:09 admeasuring 1200 SQFT, at 3rd Division, Ward No. 20, Puttappanagudi Beedi, Devanahalli Town, Bangalore Rural Dist. Owned by G Nagaraj S/o Lt. P Gangaiah and bounded by: (Property description as specified in the Sale Deed No:367/2007-08, dated :19/04/2007) East: father Nayak Kulam Property, West : Site No. 10, North : 20 Ft. Road, South : Site No. 12.

Demand Notice Date: 17.05.2022 **Possession Notice Date: 05.11.2022**
Reserve Price : Rs.27,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakhs Only) **Earnest Money to be Deposited: Rs.2,70,000/- (Rupees Two Lakh Seventy Thousand Only)**

2. Name and address of the Borrower, Co-Applicant and Guarantor : 1. Mr. Thirumalappa S/o Hanumappa, Sonnenahalli, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli taluk, Bangalore Rural Dt. **Guarantor: 2. Mr. C. Manjunatha** S/o Thirumalappa Sonnenahalli, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli taluk.

Outstanding Amount : Rs.13,47,211/- (Rupees Thirteen Lakh Fourty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Eleven Only) **as on 03.08.2023** and Feature interest/cost/expenses thereon.

Description of immovable secured assets to be Sold: 1. All that piece and parcel of Residential land and house at Khatha No.11/2, PID No.150300200600900140 admeasuring 36 Sq.mtr at Sonnenahalli Village, Karahalli Grama Panchayat, Bangalore Rural District, Owned by Manjunatha C and bounded by: (Property description as specified in the unregistered partition deed ,dated:29/08/2011) East by: Road, West by: Babu Vacant Land, North by: Road, South by: Property of P Jayaram.

2. All that piece and parcel of Residential land and house at Khatha No.11/3, PID No.150300200600900141 admeasuring 24.80 Sq.mtr at Sonnenahalli Village, Karahalli Grama Panchayat, Bangalore Rural District, Owned by Manjunatha C and bounded by: East by: Own House, West by: Rock, North by: Sadu and Narayanappa Property, South by: Ramesh Vacant Land.

3. All that piece and parcel of Residential land and house at Khatha No.66/1, PID No.150300200600900142 admeasuring 38.88 Sq.mtr at Sonnenahalli Village, Karahalli Grama Panchayat, Bangalore Rural District, Owned by Manjunatha C and bounded by: East by: Road, West by: Babu Vacant Land, North by: Road, South by: Property of P Jayaram.

(All these three properties put together-96.68 Sq mt)

Demand Notice Date: 17.05.2022 **Possession Notice Date: 17.09.2022**
Reserve Price : Rs.16,07,000/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Seven Thousand Only)
Earnest Money to be Deposited: Rs.1,60,700/- (Rupees One Lakh Sixty Thousand Seven Hundred Only)

3. Name and address of the Borrower, Co-Applicant and Guarantor : 1. Sri.Rajanna Y S/o Erappa Door No 59 Yarappanahally Village Anneswara Post, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural Dist-562110. **1.Sri.Shashi Kumar R** S/o Rajanna Y, **2.Sri.Bhaskar** S/o Rajanna Y **both are residing at** Door No 59 Yarappanahally Village Anneswara Post, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District-562110.

Outstanding Amount : Rs.15,67,621 (Rupees Fifteen Lakhs Sixty Seven Thousand Six Hundred and Twenty One Only) as on 03.08.2023 and Feature interest/cost/expenses thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES: 1.All that piece and parcel of Land and Building of Sy No:344/1/317/2,Situated in Yerrappanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural Dist, Owned by Sri. RAJANNA Y S/o ERAPPA, Extent of 11.277*13.71 Sq mtr and bounded by: East : Land of Krishnappa, West : Land of Narayanaswamy, North: Govt Road, South: Revenue Land.

2.All that piece and parcel of Land and Building of Sy No:344/2/317/1, Situated in Yerrappanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural Dist, Owned by Sri. RAJANNA Y S/o ERAPPA, Extent of 11.277*10.688 Sq mtr and bounded by: East : Land of Krishnappa, West : Land of Narayanaswamy, North: Govt Road, South: Revenue Land.

Demand Notice Date: 29.07.2022 **Possession Notice Date: 11.01.2023**
Reserve Price : Rs.71,84,000/- (Rupees Seventy One Lakhs Eighty Four Thousand Only)
Earnest Money to be Deposited: Rs.7,18,400/- (Rupees Seven Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Four Hundred Only)

Date & Time of auction : 24.08.2023 from 11 AM to 2 P.M.(with 10 min unlimited auto extensions) E-auction website-www.mstcecommerce.com, EMD Submission: On or before 23.08.2023
Increment Bid Amount : Rs.25,000/-
For Detailed terms and condition of the sale, please refer to the link provided in (1) https://www.ibapi.in, and www.unionbankofindia.co.in
For Registration and Login and Bidding Rules visit : https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp
For E-Auction Related queries Please contact : 9908350386

Date : 03.08.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India.

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government Of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore

ARM -1 Branch
2nd Floor, No.86, Spencer Tower, M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001, PH: 080-25310066 / 25588641
E-mail: cb2366@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM -1 Branch, Bengaluru** of the **Canara Bank,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **11/09/2023 at 10.00 AM to 10.30 AM,** for recovery of **Rs..22,56,35,706.26 /-** (Rupees Twenty Two Crores Fifty Six Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand Seven Hundred Six and Twenty Six Paise) as on **31.07.2023** plus further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM -1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank** from **1. M/s Sierra Constructions (P) Ltd** Rep by its managing Director No 187,1st Cross, 1st Main, Lower Palace Orchards Bengaluru–560003. **2. M/s Tecsol Sierra Engineering & Constructions,** LLP Rep by its Managing Partner No 187, 1st Cross, 1st Main, Lower Palace Orchards Bengaluru – 560003 **3. Smt K B Chikkathayamma** W/o Late B S Channappa No 187,1st Cross, 1st Main, Lower Palace Orchards Bengaluru – 560003 **4. Sri S C Dhanashankar** S/o Late B S Channappa No 187,1st Cross, 1st Main, Lower Palace Orchards Bengaluru – 560003 **5. Mrs Kumari Bharathi** W/o A C Dhanashankar No 187,1st Cross, 1st Main, Lower Palace Orchards Bengaluru – 560003 **6. Sri D Ranganna** S/o D Narayanamurthy No. 63, 2nd Cross Gavipuram Extension Bengaluru – 560019 **7.Sri Raheja P R** S/o Late J L Raheja No. 142, Embassy Heritage 8th Main Malleshwaram Bengaluru – 560055 **8. Sri. Sheshachalam A** S/o Late A Venkata Rao No. 116,2nd Cross HAL III stage Bengaluru **9. Smt N Shalini** W/o Late A C Sudhakar House No 1564, 29th Cross Banashankari II Stage Bengaluru – 560070 **10. Sri Raghupathi R** S/o Late G Ramakrishnan No. 106/21"Sai Anugraha" 11th 'B' Cross, 11th Main Road, Malleshwaram Bengaluru 560003 **11. Ms. A S Kanikka** D/o Late A C Sudhakar House No 1564, 29th Cross Banashankari II Stage Bengaluru – 560070 **12. Sri A S Shreyas** S/O Late A C Sudhakar House No 1564, 29th Cross Banashankari II Stage Bengaluru – 560070 **13. Smt A C Geetha** D/o Late B S Channappa W/o M Nagaraju No 487, A & B Block peacock Street Mysuru – 570023 **14. Smt S C Sujatha** S/o Late B S Channappa W/o AS Nagesh No 74, Gurukrua 13th Main Hanumanthanagar Bengaluru – 560050. **15. Smt S C Suneetha** D/o Late B S Channappa W/o Dr. C Puttamadappa No.19-G1, Sieravillage Near B R Ambedkar Dental College Clive Road Cook Town Bengaluru – 560005 **16. Smt A C Lakshmi** D/o Late BS Channappa W/o Dr Jayaprakash No 1192,18th Main 5th Block, Rajajinagar Bengaluru - 560010.

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **08.09.2023 at 5.00 pm** by way of DD favouring **Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, ARM-1 Branch** or through online payment to **Account No.209272434 (IFSC CNRB0002366)** is as under.

(₹.In Lakhs)

Lot No	Description of the movable assets:	Reserve Price	EMD Amount	Incremental value at Bid
1	All piece and parcel of the immovable residential flat bearing No G 106/B in B Block in the apartment named 'SIERRA SYLLABLE' situated at Sy No 213/2 CMC No. 149/A, 161, 162/A and 162/B Kodigehalli, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk in the name of Sierra Constructions having a super built up area of 1222 Sq ft and undivided share of 456 Sq ft with one car parking.	56.40	5.64	1.00
2	All piece and parcel of the immovable residential flat bearing No S 106/B in B Block in the apartment named 'SIERRA SYLLABLE' situated at Sy No 213/2 CMC No. 149/A, 161, 162/A and 162/B Kodigehalli, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk in the name of Sierra Constructions having a super built up area of 1222 Sq ft and undivided share of 456 Sq ft with one car parking.	56.40	5.64	1.00
3	All piece and parcel of the immovable residential flat bearing No F 114/C in C Block in the apartment named 'SIERRA SYLLABLE' situated at Sy No 213/2 CMC No. 149/A, 161, 162/A and 162/B Kodigehalli, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk in the name of Sierra Constructions having a super built up area of 1375 Sq ft and undivided share of 513 Sq ft with one car parking.	63.00	6.30	1.00

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or may contact Chief Manager, ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No.9599662508 and Sr. Manager other contact no 7483935007 during office hours on any working day.

Date : 05.08.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL

Fourth Floor, BSNL Building, Telephone House, Rajabhavan Road, Bangalore-5 560 001.
DRT -1
Original Application 296 /2019

BETWEEN
Union Bank of India ...APPLICANT
AND
Mr. Anup Kumar Yadav & others ...DEFENDANTS

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993 TO THE DEFENDANTS No. 3 to10 THROUGH PAPER PUBLICATION

To,
Defendant No.:3
Mr. K A Devaraj, Major, (Owner) S/o Late Anjanappa, Residing at No.11, Gurumurthy Street, Halasuru, Bangalore, Karnataka -560008
Defendant No.:4
Mr. Siddappa @ Sidda Reddy, Major, S/o Erappa, (Owner)
Defendant No.:5
Mrs. Savithramma, Major, (Owner) W/o Siddappa @ Sidda Reddy
Defendant No.:6
Ms. Diksha, Major, (Owner) D/o Siddappa @ Sidda Reddy
Defendant No.:7
Ms. Sandhya, Major, (Owner) D/o Siddappa @ Sidda Reddy
Defendant No.:8
Mr. Narayanappa @ Ashwatha Narayana, Major, (Owner) S/o Erappa
The Defendants No. 4 to 8 are represented by their registered power of attorney holder defendant No.3 Sri K A Devaraj S/o Late Anjanappa, Residing at No.11, Gurumurthy Street, Halasuru, Bangalore, Karnataka-560008
Defendant No.9 :
M/s Prabhavathi Developers(developer) A registered partnership Firm, Represented by its Managing partner Sri B.E.Praveen Kumar, Having office at No.80, 2nd Floor, 1st Cross, 2nd main, Vysya Bank, Gruha Nirmana Sahakara Sanga Layout, Near. Reliance Fresh, BTM 2nd Stage, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560068.
Defendant No.10:
Sri B.E. Praveen Kumar, Major, S/o Sri Ekambaram, Managing partner, M/s Prabhavathi Developers, No. 105, 9th Main, S.R. Naidu Layout, Opp. to Golden Park Apartments, Hongasandra, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560068.

Whereas, the applicant has instituted an application section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to the Banks and Financial Institutions Act of 1993, against you the defendants for recovery of a sum of **Rs.10,67,014/-** together with current and future interest and other reliefs. You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of the summons on or before **21-09-2023 at 10-30 AM** in the forenoon in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Hon'ble Tribunal on this the **4/8/2023**

By the order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Signature of the Officer Authorised to issue Summons
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1, BANGALORE

ED said a sum of Rs 22 lakh and unaccounted valuables worth Rs 16.6 lakh were seized during searches at nine locations linked to jailed Tamil Nadu minister Senthil Balaji. Sleuths also seized 'unexplained' property documents for 60 land parcels during the searches conducted on August 3

Won't be enslaved by Hindi: Stalin

TN CM counters Shah's remark, says rekindling embers of 1965 agitations an unwise move

EXPRESS NEWS SERVIC @ CHENNAI

CHIEF Minister MK Stalin on Saturday strongly denounced Union home minister Amit Shah's remarks that Hindi must be finally accepted without opposition, even if the pace of acceptance is slow. Shah had made the remarks during the 38th meeting of the parliamentary committee on official language in New Delhi on Friday.

Taking strong exception to Shah's views, the CM, in a tweet, criticised the union minister's 'audacious push' for Hindi acceptance. "It's a blatant attempt to subjugate non-Hindi speakers. Tamil Nadu rejects any form of Hindi hegemony and imposition as it is not a state which approves of such moves. Our language and heritage define us. We won't be enslaved by Hindi! Many states like Karnataka and West Bengal have also been vehemently resisting Hindi imposition. Take heed to the growing resistance," Stalin said.

The CM also warned that rekindling the embers of the 1965 anti-Hindi imposition agitations would be an unwise move. "Everyone knew well about the 'politics of pretence' being adopted by the BJP leaders. They hail Tamil as an ancient language when they are in Tamil Nadu and they spit venom when they reach New Delhi," Stalin said.

Minister for youth welfare and sports development Udhayanidhi Stalin too strongly condemned Amit Shah's statement advocating compulsory acceptance of Hindi. "This undemocratic stance disregards the rich linguistic diversity of the Indian Union. Superficial praise for Tamil in Tamil Nadu, alongside imperialist pro-Hindi statements from North India, exposes BJP's double standards," the minister said.

Udhayanidhi Stalin also pointed out that Tamil Nadu has a history of resisting Hindi imposition and it will firmly reject all the autocratic moves of fascists. Flaying Shah's remarks PMK founder S Ramadoss said, "The union home minister's statement does not show his confidence in the Hindi language. It reveals his hope for Hindi imposition. Efforts to impose Hindi will not succeed in the future as was the case in the past."

WINNABILITY FACTOR

NO DIRECTION TO CONTEST LS POLLS, SAYS SATISH

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Belagavi

KPCC working president Satish Jarkiholi denied speculation that the Congress high command is planning to field some of the Karnataka Cabinet ministers or MPs in the 2024 Lok Sabha elections.

Satish said that the top brass did not name any leaders but advised all state Congress leaders to be prepared to ensure victory of more number of party candidates in 2024 during the recent meeting held in New Delhi.

Commenting on media reports, Satish said that he was not asked by the party high command to contest the LS polls.

Addressing the media here, the minister said Congress leaders in Belagavi will work together for the victory of party candidates in Belagavi and Chikkodi constituencies.

"A preliminary meeting on candidates was conducted in Bengaluru. Another meeting will be held soon in Belagavi. However, we don't have any instructions given by the party to select MPs or former MPs but to choose the probable candidates taking into account the winnability factor.

In the 2024 LS polls in Karnataka, the party will follow the model which it employed in the recent Assembly elections," he said.

On his recent meeting with Union Minister for Highways Nitin Gadkari, Satish said several issues were discussed. "Many works which did not see the light of day in Karnataka pertaining to infrastructure development were also discussed," he said.

On JDS leader and former CM HD Kumaraswamy's allegations against the government, he said the former has been levelling allegations for the past two months without any proof.

Jagan picks Tirupati MLA as TTD chief

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@ Vijayawada

CHIEF Minister YS Jagan Mohan Reddy on Saturday decided on Tirupati MLA Bhumana Karunakar Reddy as the new chairman of Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams (TTD) Board of Trustees. Orders to this effect are likely to be issued shortly.

Karunakar Reddy will take over from YV Subba Reddy, whose tenure as TTD Board chief will conclude on August 8. Subba Reddy has been in the post for the two consecutive terms of two years each.

Bhumana Karunakar Reddy has worked as TTD Chairman in the past from 2006 to 2008 when YS Rajasekhara Reddy was the Chief Minister. At present the Tirupati MLA is part of the TTD Trust Board as an ex-officio member.

He has been active in politics since he joined Congress party in the 90's. He worked as TUDA chairman from 2004 to 2006, before being made TTD chairman in 2006.

Youth puts mobile in neighbour's toilet, held

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Mangaluru

A YOUTH has been arrested for capturing video of his neighbour and intending to film the victim's mother and sister in a toilet in the Mulki station limits near Mangaluru.The incident occurred on August 2.

According to the complainant, accused Sumanth Poojary had placed his mobile phone in the toilet of the former's house and had captured a video. Mangaluru City Police Commissioner Kuldeep Kumar R Jain said that the victim and the complainant in the case is a person named Prajwal who is a neighbour of the accused. The commissioner said that the 21-year-old accused is just a class 10 pass out with no job and had the intention to capture the video of anyone staying in the house or using the toilet.

In the complaint, Prajwal has alleged that the accused had the intention to capture videos of his family members, including his mother and sister. "As per the 18-second video recovered from the phone, the victim in this case is only Prajwal. In the video, Prajwal is seen entering the toilet and finds the phone of the accused and nothing else was found in the video. His mobile phone was seized by the police," the commissioner said. Mulki police have registered a case. The accused has been arrested and sent to judicial custody.

'NOTE'WORTHY

Union Minister Kishan Reddy at a function to distribute notebooks to students at Amber Peta (CPL) Government School, in Hyderabad on Saturday | Express

AYUSH committed to developing adequate infra: Union minister

THRISSUR: Union Minister for Ayush Sarbananda Sonowal on Saturday emphasized that the ministry for Ayurveda, Yoga, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy (Ayush) is committed to promoting the systems and developing adequate infrastructure and research facilities for the same. He was speaking at the Mentor's Day programme of the Vaidyaratnam group at Thaikkattussery in Thrissur. He also highlighted the Union government's efforts to promote the traditional system of medicines over the past 9 years.

'Inhouse chemists found no sediments in beer'

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AN excise official said, "The beer was bottled on June 25 and dispatched on July 15. The inhouse chemists found no sediments when it was bottled. Government clearance was also given. After 15 days, brewery officers found sediments in beer. So, we told depot officers to test the stock and they found sediments in beer."

Excise officials said the batch numbers have been shared with all depots and retailers and they have been asked to withhold sales. There were 20,000 beer boxes in the distillery and 10,000 boxes in the depots. Beer bottled in Mysuru is supplied to five depots, including those in Bengaluru and Mysuru.

"We don't have details on how many bottles have been sold, how many have reached retail outlets and how many are at the depots. We are collecting details," the official said.

Stating that the beer containing sediments is not poisonous, he said, "They are not chemicals. During filtration, some sediments have not got filtered. The beer does not fulfill the criteria set by the Bureau of Indian Standards. If a person consumes it, he may suffer from a bad stomach for some days. So as a precautionary measure, we have recalled the bottles. We have also alerted the consumers."

C'durga water contamination: ₹10L relief given

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chitradurga

DISTRICT Minister D Sudhakar Saturday distributed cheques of ₹5 lakh - ₹10 lakh from CM's Relief Fund and ₹5 lakh from the city municipal council funds - to the families of those who died due to water contamination in Kavadigarahatti in Chitradurga city.

Of the five who died, families of four have received the compensation as family members of one of the deceased were in the hospital. The cheque will be handed over to the deceased's wife.

Health Minister Dinesh Gundu Rao Saturday said he was satisfied with the relief measures undertaken by the district administration. He said a state surveillance team will prepare a report on what exactly led to the water contamination in Kavadigarahatti.

Dinesh said what happened in Kavadigarahatti should never recur, and the government has sought a comprehensive report from the district administration, CMC, and the health department. Based on the report, action will be taken against the errant officials.

He directed the government hospital doctors to provide medicines from their inventory. In case allegations of prescription slips outside are made, action will be taken against the doctors, he warned, adding that all essential drugs will be available over the counter at government hospitals soon.

A specialist emergency response medical team from CV Raman Hospital and BMRC Hospital to treat cholera patients in Kavadigarahatti has arrived at the place of incident. Health department commissioner Ranadeep who was at the spot said the team will be in place till the situation becomes normal.

MLC NOMINATIONS

Raj Bhavan asks govt to examine petitions

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

GOVERNOR Thaawarchand Gehlot has directed the State Government to examine the petitions submitted by two organisations about the nomination of Members of the Legislative Council (MLC) and take appropriate action on it.

The Governor's Special Secretary has forwarded the representations of Karnataka Rajya Muslim Jana Jagruthi Vedike and Raghavachar Shatri, secretary, Nyayamitra, to the Chief Secretary.

The petitions were submitted as the government is said to be considering nominating MR Seetharam, Mansoor Khan and Sudham Das as MLCs under the categories of education, cooperation, culture, and social service. "It is requested to examine the said representation and to take further necessary action in accordance with rules," the Governor's office stated in the letter.

Sources said some Congress leaders are demanding that an opportunity should be given to the leaders, who have worked for the party in the Assembly elections. Sudham Das, a former officer with the Enforcement Directorate (ED), had joined the party recently.

All-Karnataka Sufi Saints Association president Moulana Sufi Waliba Kadri said they had appealed to the government to nominate Gulshad Ahmed BZ, a Congress leader and president of Karnataka Unaided Minorities Schools Management Association as MLC.

HC notice to BU on PhD entrance exam irregularities

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court has issued a notice to Bangalore University regarding alleged irregularities in the university's PhD entrance examination.

On July 16, the university held an entrance exam for entry into its PhD programme at two centres. Following the examination, several students protested against the university, alleging that there were several irregularities during the examination, including students using their cellphones and PhD candidates entering the examination hall to help students attempting the exams.

Apart from these, the students also alleged that the invigilators had not verified the identities of the candidates attempting the examination and had also distributed question papers from an unsealed packet, prompting speculation on whether the paper was leaked beforehand. The students had previously appealed to the vice chancellor to reconduct the examination, however, they alleged that no action was taken in this regard.

'Start criminal proceedings against retd ACF'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE office of the state environment department has issued orders to the deputy conservator of forests (DCF) to register criminal case under the IPC against retired assistant conservator of forests (ACF), Ponnampet, and other officials involved in felling 66 trees and forging signatures for illegal transportation of timber and use of government land.

The letter was signed by Brijesh Kumar, Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, on August 2, 2023.

Kumar told *TNIE* that this is the first time in the last five years criminal proceedings are being undertaken against a forest official. He said after a detailed inquiry by the government appointed committee, the ACF was found guilty. An official said, "The government has found the retd ACF and others involved guilty in the case. Even though the matter can be tried in the forest office and courts, the government decided to give it to an independent agency as the officer involved is one of the staffer.

JUMBO MOMENT

Murmu hails mahouts, kavadis for role in elephant conservation

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Nilgiris

PRESIDENT Droupadi Murmu interacted with mahout Bomman and elephant caretaker Belli at Theppakkadu elephant camp in Mudumalai Tiger Reserve on Saturday evening.

The president also fed sugarcane to one of the camp elephants, 'Bama,' which was seen in the Oscar winning documentary film, 'The Elephant Whisperers.'

Appreciating mahouts and kavadis for their contribution in animal conservation, Murmu said, "It is a matter of pride that activities of the forest department got global recognition for its elephant care management through the documentary film. As part of preserving our national heritage, it is our nation's responsibility to protect elephants. I am happy the government is setting up a state-of-the-art elephant conservation centre and eco-complex at Theppakkadu elephant camp to make it a pioneer in Asian elephant conservation. Belli and Bomman are taking care of orphaned elephants like their own children. After I had a discussion with the couple in Delhi, I wanted to meet you all and now I am here in Mudumalai," Murmu said.

Tribal communities are playing an important role in preserving India's cultural heritage. Therefore, it is very important to ensure their constitutional rights and provide them basic amenities, Murmu said. "I am happy to note that traditional knowledge and experience of people belonging to Bettakurumbar, Kattunayakar and Malasar tribal communities is being utilised to manage the Theppakadu Elephant Camp," Murmu said.

President Droupadi Murmu feeds elephant 'Bama', which featured in 'The Elephant Whisperers' during her visit to Theppakadu Elephant Camp on Saturday | PTI

Speaking to reporters, Belli and Bomman said they are happy meeting the President for a second time. "We don't have any hesitation to speak with her since she is also a tribal and we have not requested anything from her. I am happy that I got a government job. We are are ready to maintain any number of calves that come to Theppakkadu," the couple said

Vikram, one of the mahouts, said he will never forget the meeting with Murmu and that he explained to her his entire day's work.

The president arrived at a helipad in Masinagudi in an Army helicopter from Mysuru at 3.30 pm. From there, she reached Theppakkadu elephant camp on her official vehicle. After completing the programme, she again went to Masinagudi where she distributed chocolates to children and wished people who had gathered to see her.

Supriya Sahu, additional chief secretary environment, climate change and forest department said that as per the President's wish, a group of mahouts and kavadis would be sent to Delhi to meet Murmu again.

EXPRESS READ

IndiGo flight takes off without 6 passengers

MANGALURU: Indigo Airlines tweeted on its 17th anniversary on Saturday proudly claiming of providing better service to its passengers. But on Friday, one of its Mangaluru bound flights took off from the Bengaluru International Airport without 6 passengers on board. 2 of the 6 passengers said that they missed the flight, despite having the boarding pass.

MLC's son loses ₹2L in online fraud

MYSURU: The new victim in cyber crime cases in Mysuru is MLC A H Vishwanath's son and former ZP member Amit Devarahatti who has lost over Rs 2 Lakh in a fraudulent activity by cyber criminals. According to his complaint, Amit had called a customer care number after he could not withdraw the amount from an ATM.

When there is oppression, the only self-respecting thing is to rise and say this shall cease today, because my right is justice.

Sarojini Naidu

US DOWNGRADE: DO RATINGS DETER POPULISM!

THE THIRD EYE

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EARLIER this week, ratings agency Fitch provided a new facet for anxiety and excitement in global financial markets. Fitch downgraded the debt rating of United States, the world's largest economy, from AAA to AA+, essentially citing fiscal deterioration worsened by erosion of governance and fears of a recession. The tremors sent bonds into a spin and stocks found what Greenspan famously called the proximate cause for correction.

The downgrade of the giant economy didn't dent dollar nor did it drive investor traffic to gold. The dollar ticked upward and gold depreciated. It could be argued that the impact of ratings action must be measured over a longer duration of time. An objective analysis calls for a thorough interrogation of history.

Almost to the day on August 5, 2011, ratings agency Standard & Poor's downgraded US debt from AAA to AA+, citing debt burden and, yes, political risks. What happened in the 12 years since is instructive. S&P estimated US debt to GDP would rise from 74 per cent in 2011 to 85 per cent by 2021. This year the US debt-to-GDP ratio hovers at around 118 per cent as per the St Louis Federal Reserve. Debt and deficit didn't dam the flow of FDI. The US continued to be the top destination and attracted nearly three trillion dollars in the decade. And foreign country reserves parked in US dollars rose from $4 trillion in 2011 to over $ 7.6 trillion in 2023.

Of course, not every country enjoys what former French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing, as Finance Minister in 1965, called America's 'privilge exorbitant'. The dollar dominates world trade and is the preferred store of value. As the issuer of global reserve currency, the US is able to run expansionary policies to stabilise the economy, leveraging flows and monetisation to finance its deficits.

In contrast, Japan, which is the third largest economy, struggled to recover from downgrades. In 2011, S&P downgraded Japan's rating from AA to AA- as liabilities ballooned to nearly twice its economic output. In the past decade, Japan's debt-to-GDP ratio has risen from 185 per cent to over 226 per cent of GDP. Japan was downgraded further in 2015 by S&P and in March 2023 Japan as per S&P has a rating of A+.

How other countries fared post ratings downgrades is equally illuminating. France lost its AAA rating in January 2012. It was downgraded first by S&P and then by others to AA+ as French President Nicholas Sarkozy mounted a campaign for re-election. In April 2023, S&P downgraded France further to AA-.Between 2011 and 2023, general government debt as a percentage of GDP rose from 90 per cent to over 114 per cent.

France was not the only country to be hit by downgrades that year. Austria was cut to AA+ from AAA; Cyprus to BB+ from BBB; Italy to BBB+ from A; Malta to A- from A; Portugal to BB from BBB-; the Slovak Republic to A from A+; Slovenia to A+ from AA-; and Spain to A from AA-. The rationale invariably is about management of government finances and despite well-intentioned advisories revisions have been hard to come by.

This begs the question whether rating actions alter the cause politics – do downgrades deter politics of populism? A good candidate for comprehending the trend and trajectory is the United Kingdom – once an empire where the sun didn't set and now sixth on the ranking of economies. The UK was downgraded in April 2013 by Fitch from AAA to AA+. The reason: "weaker economic and fiscal outlook and upward revisions of budget deficits and government debt". That alarm didn't quite ring in Westminster and downgrade didn't daunt the politics of Brexit.

In June 2016, S&P downgraded the UK two notches from AAA to AA. It ominously warned that Brexit "will lead to a less predictable, stable and effective policy framework" and a "marked deterioration of external financing conditions". In 2015, the government debt in the UK was around 81 per cent of GDP. In 2023, it is hovering at 110 per cent of GDP, the highest since 1961. The chaotic parade of four chancellors and three prime ministers in two years has not helped.

The 'erosion of governance' underlined by the Fitch rating report is ubiquitous and global. Populist polarisation is manifest in the many mutinies playing out across democracies. The arithmetic of politics is shackling the algebraic arrangement of factors which propel prosperity. It is instructive to note that only two of the top ten economies, Germany and Canada, are rated AAA. The nine entities boasting AAA ratings add up to barely a tenth of global GDP.

The US may stumble, struggle and survive schisms and downgrades but for others ratings have a material impact on sustainability of aspirations – and the visible, stark corrosion of social harmony has existential implications for developing economies. The shadow of demographics on employment, displacement of lives by climate change and retrenchment of human interface by technology will only heighten and aggravate the faultlines.

The former EU President Jean Claude Juncker, once said: "We all know what to do, we just don't know how to get re-elected after we've done it." The context signals the need for an urgent rethink on the idiom of contemporary politics, a modern draft of the social contract to install trust between society and the State.

PROCESSIONS BLOODYING COMMUNAL POLITICS

POWER & POLITICS

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Calcutta 1911. "After a day or two spent collecting the necessary kit for my life up country, I set off by train for Jessore in the evening. The great Moslem festival of Mohurrum was then being celebrated, and the route to the station lay through Sealdah Square, which the police had made the turning-place for rival processions that reached that nodal point from all directions. Unfortunately, the police arrangements had broken down somehow, and the various processions had got mixed up and started fighting." Sir Arthur Lothian, a one-time British Resident at Hyderabad.

Calcutta 1897. The Maharaja Sir Jatindramahon Tagore acquired a plot of land through a court decree just outside Calcutta's northern limit. A small hut stood on the property, which Muslims claimed was a mosque. When the Tagore's party reached to take possession of the land, a Muslim mob attacked them. The goons were dispersed by the police, but violence spread to other parts of Calcutta, causing the 1897 Bengal riots.

HISTORY is an indulgent parent. It doesn't differentiate between the children of any community ravaging each other in the name of religion. In India, communalism had two fathers: the Islamic invasions and the British divide and rule policy, where they pitted one faith against the other. The practice continues. Religious processions have, now at Nuh, Haryana and previously through centuries in other bloody spots, sparked death and destruction, egged on by slogans that revere one god or the other. However, keeping economic factors in mind, the numbers of communal clashes are down, but their intensity proves the widening rift between various religious communities. The pattern hasn't changed, though. In Bombay in 1874, as Dadabhai Naoroji and Pherozeshah Mehta watched, a series of riots between Hindu and Muslim subjects of the Nawab of Janjira in Raigad, present day Maharashtra, led to bloodshed.

Aurangzeb, the numerous Viceroys and Rajput warrior kings, are now dust. Old empires and little countries like Janjira are extinct. India seems to have two sides of light and night: 75 years of rising prosperity and communal hatred and mayhem in places like Haryana, West Bengal, UP, Manipur. What is worse is that the weaponisation of religion has forged a political hatchet to invade and appropriate power and space. Even roads and streets have become borders between communities. Armed processions and land grabbing are part of a newly developed tool kit. Last week, five innocent persons were murdered by a violent mob during a 'Brij Mandal Jalabhishek Yatra' started by BJP Gurugram district president Gargi Kakkar. Coincidentally, it was just after Muharram: a sensitive festival, when the muscular demonstration of Islam happens. There was no police escort at the Yatra just a day after Moharam. Today, Nuh has become the template for expanding the blueprint of communal warfare. Tragically, life doesn't matter in politics; only votes matter. The political masters of both communities didn't restrain their followers from holding provocative demonstrations even after the carnage. The Gurugram mayhem has become another grim footnote in the dark tome of religious violence. The previous week, a Tazia procession in Nangloi, outer Delhi, deviated from its prescribed route and started pelting stones at the police. They were lathi charged, injuring bystanders and cops. A few days afterwards, a radicalised member of the Railway Police shot not just his boss but selectively executed three Muslim men. A new form of violence, as experts warn, is often carried out by lone wolves. The incidents mentioned above have escalated hatred, previously hidden under the veneer of social normalcy. None of the transgressors had a communal track record; instead, they exemplify the young new torch bearers of aggressive faith. For them worshipping in peace isn't enough. Slaughtering their religious rivals is an article of faith. They thrive not on the number of prayers they have recited but on the obituaries they have written in the blood of other Indians. The anti-national trope is applied to anyone who challenges their writ, Hindu or Muslim.

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A postmortem of history to diagnose previous injuries to faith has become a popular hobby of religious champions. In the past few years, there is hardly a city in which the history of a mosque or a mandir hasn't faced scrutiny or litigation. Long forgotten relics of the Mughal Empire are being excavated for hidden idols while new structures are being raised with impunity. Over 200 illegal religious buildings have come up on railway land nationwide. The Delhi PWD recently demolished an unapproved temple in East Delhi. The Gujarat government cleared a road project by razing various ancient temples. However, almost all the states have ignored the Supreme Court's repeated directives to demolish illegal religious structures. According to published reports, over 5,000 acres of government land have been encroached upon by various religious bodies. The land owning agencies are toothless. When Urban and Housing Minister Jagmohan in the Vajpayee government demolished an old temple near Minto Road in New Delhi to develop a park, he was admonished, and the temple was restored.

Surprisingly, neither the Centre nor the states have the count of temples, mosques, churches and gurudwaras built on public land. There is no data about approved religious processions, whose number is rising faster than new converts to any faith. Officially, over a million religious structures stand on public land. Over 10,000 processions happen yearly year. India is the only country where faith flowers on illegal real estate. Political leaders patronise babas, maulvis and faquirs who have grabbed huge parcels of land; these godmen are unpunished because they are electoral influencers and fund collectors. On the contrary, no Muslim country permits the construction of mosques without approval nor allows any religious processions.

Politics is the culprit of culpability. In 1990, Prime Minister V P Singh advised me to move a resolution in a meeting of the National Integration Council, of which I was a member, calling upon all chief ministers and party chiefs to stop the construction of illegal religious buildings, use of loud speakers and holding processions on public roads. I drafted a four para resolution and took it to the late Comrade Harkishan Singh Surjeet for seconding it. He not only refused but tore up the paper. No leader, including from the BJP, supported me, and the resolution was killed. From then on, mocking the judiciary's power, political thugs in the garb of religious activists and propagandists are violating the blessing of Amrit Kaal with the blood of their fellow men. If god is in the details, religion is retail with blood money as the price.

THE TAXING LIFE OF SOLOPRENEURS

OPINION

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IT is that time of the year when we ensure that the tax deducted at source matches the one in the 26 AS statement. My taxes are deducted throughout the year as I receive payments. Still, the final updates in the income tax records usually happen around June or even July, when the last date for filing returns is close enough.

As a small solopreneur, I am ready with all my data in April. After that, it is all about waiting and chasing. Usually, waiting happens in the case of banks, which, despite all the automation, take their time to put the final numbers in place. Chasing happens with government agencies I end up working with. They love working last minute. Private organisations are mostly well organised but for an unlucky encounter. Publishers are, more often than not, always late.

Why is the onus of ensuring that TDS reflects in your tax statement with the one whose tax is deducted at source? I know it is an offence at the end of the one who deducts and does not pay, but the onus of ensuring this is mine when I have no control over the paying agency. My choices are to fight it out and lose my precious time, energy and health or end up paying additional taxes on the net income I have received. This creates another loop of re-filing the income tax return as and when my statement reflects the TDS.

Technology can easily solve this. Instant updates in the tax statement as soon as the vendor account is credited should be mandatory. Why is this still held back for month-end, quarter-end, year-end and sometimes even after that? Not just the life of solopreneurs and taxpayers in general, it will also ease a lot of work for the Income Tax department.

While I am still collating all possible tax information for the previous financial year, it is time to pay my advance tax's first instalment. Within two months of the start of the financial year, I am expected to know the estimated tax liability for the whole year. Even the legacy businesses do not have a handle on the earnings for the whole of next year, but nonetheless, something must be paid. Can this be reduced to twice yearly, say in September and January? If you can clean up the TDS data, I can file my returns in April or May and let go of the hassle of doing all calculations in March and then again a couple of months later.

Solopreneurs or small entrepreneurs are on no one's priority list. We do not have an organised agency representing us at the finance ministry. It is impossible to organise, as freelancers and small service providers work in such vast domains that putting them under one umbrella is difficult. They mostly work from home or in small offices. Secondly, as small entrepreneurs, they end up doing everything themselves, from marketing to execution to accounting, leaving them little time and energy to go networking beyond what is required for their core work.

Many solopreneurs work as freelancers where projects and hence income is unpredictable. Thankfully internet enables us to work across borders with ease. Banks, though, create their checks and balances for every payment received. When they asked me to fill out a form for small payments I receive from Google every month, I changed my setting to receive payments only once or twice a year. But I wonder if banks cannot distinguish millions of such small payments from the best-known company in the world from potentially fraudulent ones. My ease is no one's responsibility or priority.

In the Mahabharata and other Indian scriptures, the recommended tax rate is one-sixth of the income, roughly 17%. Why are we paying almost double that amount, not considering the GST we pay on every product and service we purchase?

Keeping yourself abreast of constant changes in the tax structures is a constant challenge. While the government tries to present it as simplification, the added or modified slabs in the tax rates are not. On a lighter note, the finance ministry seems to be working hugely in favour of the CA community by making things complex yearly.

In the Mahabharata and other Indian scriptures, the recommended tax rate is one-sixth of the income, roughly 17%. Why are we paying almost double that amount, not considering the GST we pay on every product and service we purchase?

On top of that, all the government schemes exclude me because I am a taxpaying citizen. For example, take the free bus ride for women in Karnataka. It seems like incentivising those who do not pay taxes.

Should you not reverse this situation and provide schemes benefitting those who pay taxes? This would reward the honest taxpayer and encourage others to start paying taxes. What if I knew that if I am paying taxes in the highest tax bracket, I would get some units of electricity free or credit on my mobility card to use public transport or access premium lounges at airports? It sounds counter-intuitive, given how we have seen the rich-poor divide. However, introducing something like TCS for high-value foreign transactions proves my point. The government schemes and tax structures encourage us to stay, or at least project being poor.

If someone in the precincts of the Finance Ministry ends up reading this, please consider easing our lives in your next budget planning in the spirit of *small is beautiful*.

QUOTE CORNER

Particularly when the offence was non-cognizable, bailable and compoundable, the least which was expected from the learned trial judge was to give reasons for imposing the maximum punishment. Though the learned appellate court and the High Court have spent voluminous pages in rejecting the applications, these aspects are not seen considered

Supreme Court of India, in the Rahul Gandhi disqualification case

If you can't beat them, you persecute them, or you prosecute them

Donald Trump, Former US President

I know I'm not the most skilful player, I know that I need every inch of my competitive spirit and my drive and my effort to get anything out of my ability. And I would say every day I've put on a Nottinghamshire shirt and an England shirt I've given my heart and soul....

Chris Broad, English bowler who retired after the latest Ashes series

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Conviction stay

It is good that Supreme Court has stayed the conviction of Rahul Gandhi in Modi surname case, which automatically restores his MP status. It has nothing to do with the merit of the case itself which is still continuing. After the judgement it is unfair on the part of the Congress party to see in the judgement of lower court convicting Gandhi some sort of conspiracy, particularly by the BJP. Let's have the courage to face the truth.

Jitendranath Guru, Padampur

Dignity issue

While Rahul managed to win a consolation victory for the time being in the defamation case related to 'Modi' remarks, the Supreme Court's assessment that "there is no doubt that his remarks were not correct" should not be overlooked. National leaders like Rahul Gandhi should avoid controversial remarks as much as possible. Or at least show the willingness to apologise if there are controversies. It will only help to raise his dignity.

Jayakumar A V, Kochi

Verdict impact

Supreme Court has observed that judge in the lower court did not substantiate the awarding of maximum punishment to Rahul Gandhi in the judgement. This took away the right of a duly elected MP to represent his voters in parliament. The riots in Manipur began immediately after a high court judgement which was later denounced by Supreme Court. These judicial officers are knowingly or unknowingly oblivious of the consequences of their verdicts in society.

JACOB J, email

Gyanvapi survey

The Allahabad High Court has rightly allowed the Gyanvapi survey by ASI to know if the present-day mosque was built over a pre-existing temple. Many historical wrongs have occurred during the Mughal rule. The masjid committee has no reason to stall the survey. Survey is conducted only to know the historical truth about the existence of temple under mosque. If the committee is confident that no wrong was done in the past, it has no reason to obstruct the survey. If there is no clue to suggest that the mosque was built after demolishing or destroying the temple, the status quo would be maintained forever. The problem should be solved when it is small. The outcome of the survey is very important at this juncture.

K V Seetharamaiah, Bengaluru

Plastic ban

Ban the use of plastic across the country. In villages, towns and cities, all food, items are packed in plastic even whey are extremely hot. That poisons the food. These days even tea and coffee are packed in plastic bags. The long-time use of plastic leads to cancer and other dreadful diseases. If the Union and state governments care about public health, they should ban plastic use. That makes the environment pollution-free too.

Gadeela Sudhakar Reddy, Siddipet

Decongesting roads

Motorists should take to vehicle pooling, walking or using public transport to decongest the city traffic. Road users should have empathy for other road users. Lorry and other heavy vehicles should not be allowed inside the city, as is being done in Delhi. Upcountry heavy vehicles are stopped 40 kms away from the city and the goods are shifted to smaller vehicles that are allowed to enter the city limits. There should also be strict action against those who break traffic rules, including using mobile phones while driving.

S RAVI SHANKAR, HYDERABAD

Novel ideas

If the MRP on any item can be uniformly printed, say, at the right lower corner of the goods, it saves time for consumers looking for it. Also, at petrol stations, if petrol nozzles are made not to fit a diesel car fuel tank or the other way round, it will save hassles. I wish the government would consider the suggestions.

Dr V M Prabhu, email

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Varun Gandhi @varungandhi80
India's reputation in pharma world as the largest manufacturer of generic drugs is under threat. The need of the hour is a national law on drug recalls.

Mallikarjun Kharge @Kharge
The launch of Gruhalyothi Yojana in Kalaburagi is a historic moment for economic stability of any household. 1.42 crore consumers will be benefitted.

Rajiv Ranjan Lalan Singh @LalanSingh_1
PM, you had inaugurated new Parliament on May 28, but its doors have not opened till date... The secret of the incomplete building will be revealed..!

'Wrong to clear Bills amid pending no-trust vote'

Opposition leaders mull moving court over Bills passed since July 26, when the no-confidence motion was admitted

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

THE passage of several crucial Bills after the acceptance of a no-confidence motion in the House has become a major bone of contention between the Opposition and the government.

At least 12 Bills have been passed and several others were introduced in both the Houses of Parliament after the Opposition parties moved the no-confidence motion against the government on July 26. The Lok Sabha will take up the no-trust motion from August 8-10.

Speaking to this newspaper, RSP MP NK Premachandran, who raised the issue in LS, said that after acceptance of the no-confidence motion, any legislative business transacted by the House violates propriety.

"It has been explicitly said in Kaul & Shakhdar, 'Practice & Procedure of Parliament', that when leave is granted by the Speaker for a no-confidence motion, no substantive motion relating to policy matters shall be brought before the House unless and until the no-confidence motion is disposed of," said Premachandran. Former Lok Sabha Secretary General PDT Achary said that though there is no rule stopping the House from passing Bills after the tabling of a no-confidence motion, it is against Parliamentary conventions.

"The motion says that the House has lost the confidence in the government," he said.

Opposition members also point out that the government has gone against 'conventions' to steamroll several contentious Bills such as 'Forest Amendment Bill, Jan Vishwas Bill, Mines and Minerals Bill, Biological Diversity Bill and Multi-state Cooperative Societies Bill, without debate.

According to Chakshu Roy, head of legislative and civic engagement, PRS Legislative Research, LS records show that non-confidence motions have usually been taken up for discussion within a day or two of it being admitted. "In a few cases when there was a gap for more days, legislation has been discussed and passed by Lok Sabha. The LS Speaker has ruled that there is precedent for such legislative measures and that the rules give 10 days for the discussion on the no-trust motion to begin," said Roy.

While BJP members point out instances in 2018 and 1972, when Bills were passed despite pending 'no-confidence' motions against the then governments, Premachandran said that those Bills were passed after both the government and opposition reached a consensus.

Congress MP Manish Tewari terms such legislations as "constitutionally suspect". "On 26th July 1966, Satyendra Narayan Sinha, the then minister of parliamentary affairs, made a statement in Lok Sabha: 'I do concede that whenever there is a no-confidence motion, no substantive motion should he brought just to forestall the whole thing.' These are the parliamentary traditions that are being subverted by passing Bill after Bill when no-confidence motion has been admitted," Tewari said.

While the Opposition MPs are mulling to move the court over Bills that have been passed since July 26, Achary argues that the House has the privilege to regulate its own business and the court cannot interfere.

Speaking to this paper, Congress Lok Sabha MP Gaurav Gogoi said that the rule book of Parliament clearly states that when a no-trust motion is admitted, no substantive policy can be discussed.

BILLS PASSED AFTER JULY 26

1. The Forest (Conservation) Amendment Bill, 2023
2. Jan Vishwas (Amendment of Provisions) Bill, 2023
3. Repealing and Amending Bill, 2022
4. Cinematograph (Amendment) Bill, 2023
5. Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation Amendment) Bill, 2023
6. The National Nursing and Midwifery Commission Bill, 2023
7. The National Dental Commission Bill, 2023
8. The Biological Diversity (Amendment) Bill,
9. Multi-state Cooperative Societies (Amendment) Bill and Mediation Bill, 2021.
10. Indian Institutes of Management (Amendment) Bill, 2023
11. Inter-Services Organisations (Command, Control and Discipline) Bill, 2023
12. The Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi (Amendment) Bill, 2023

JUSTICE BR GAVAI

A FEARLESS STICKLER FOR RULE OF LAW

SHRUTI KAKKAR

SOURAV ROY

JUSTICE Bhushan Ramakrishna Gavai, who is in line to become the second Dalit Chief Justice of India, has been in news for a string of his recent decisions, including staying of the Gujarat High Court's conviction of former Congress president Rahul Gandhi in a defamation case that led to the latter's disqualification from the Lok Sabha.

Last month, a bench presided by him had termed the observations made by another Gujarat HC judge in a case relating to human rights activist Teesta Setalvad as "perverse" and "contradictory". The bench granted bail to Setalvad in the criminal case against her for allegedly fabricating false evidence to implicate high dignitaries in the 2002 Gujarat riots. The bench said that her custodial interrogation was not "necessary" since the charge sheet was filed and the documentary evidence was already in custody.

While staying the judgement against Rahul Gandhi, Gavai said that the trial judge, who had awarded him two-year jail, failed to explain the reasons for it. Gavai also said the continuation of his disqualification from Parliament would not only affect his rights to continue in public life but also deprive proper representation to the people of his constituency.

NEWSMAKER

Born on November 24, 1960, Justice Gavai belongs to a family having political association with the Congress party. His father, Justice Ramkrishna Suryabhan Gavai, was founder of the Ambedkarite outfit Republican Party of India (RPI). He was active in Maharashtra politics from 1964 to 1998, was elected to Lok Sabha from Amravati constituency as RPI's candidate in 1998 and also served as the Governor of Bihar, Sikkim and Kerala between 2006 and 2011, when the Congress-led UPA was in power. Even his brother, Dr Rajendra Gavai, had joined hands with Ramdas Athwale in 2009 with an aim to bring together all factions of RPI. But the differences between the two leaders later resulted in a split, with the Gavai-led faction entering into a pre-poll alliance with the Congress.

Justice Gavai was enrolled as an advocate in 1985 and served as the government pleader and then government prosecutor for Maharashtra government before being appointed as Bombay HC judge on November 14, 2003. He served as Bombay HC judge for 16 years before being elevated to the Supreme Court. His name was recommended by the SC collegium led by CJI Ranjan Gogoi in 2019.

He is in line to become the second Dalit CJI, who would be at the SC's helm from May 14 to November 24, 2025, after Justice K G Balakrishnan, who served as CJI from 2007 to 2010. Appointed as SC judge on May 24, 2019, Justice Gavai has rendered a series of significant verdicts. He is also a part of the constitution bench that is currently hearing pleas challenging the abrogation of Article 370, which granted special status to Jammu and Kashmir.

On July 11, 2023, Gavai, while heading the three-judge bench, quashed the Centre's order of granting third extension to Enforcement Director Sanjay Kumar Mishra, terming the same as "illegal" in a 103-page verdict. The bench, also comprising Justices Vikram Nath and Sanjay Karol, asked Mishra to demit office by July 31, 2023. But on July 27, 2023, after considering the Centre's request, extended Mishra's tenure till September 15, to serve "public and national interest."

Justice Gavai had also penned a 258-page majority opinion on behalf of himself and Justices S Abdul Nazeer, A S Bopanna and V Ramasubramanian while upholding Centre's 2016 demonetisation Scheme on January 2, 2023. The judge had opined that RBI and the Central government were in consultation with each other for at least six months preceding the action. He stated that Centre had the power to declare any denomination of currency as invalid tender and that the demonetisation scheme satisfied the 'test of proportionality'.

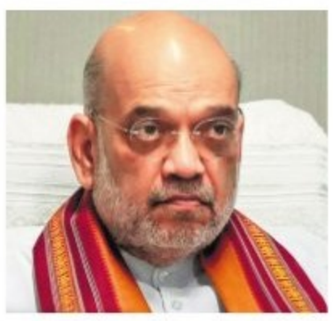
A day later, a five-judge bench he was a part of, said that the "stink of corruption" not only has a "pervasive impact" on the functioning of the entire country, but also demoralises honest officers.

Heading a bench on November 11, 2022, the judge directed for forthwith release of six convicts serving life sentences for more than three decades in the Rajiv Gandhi Assassination case. While ordering this, he took into consideration Tamil Nadu state cabinet's recommendation of premature release of the convicts to the Governor, which was not acted upon by him.

He was also part of the SC bench that declared as "unconstitutional" Tamil Nadu's reservation for Vanniyars in education and jobs within the Most Backward Classes category on March 31, 2022.

Need to address factors leading to left wing extremism, says Shah

AMIT MUKHERJEE @ New Delhi



THERE is a need to address all factors that contribute to the growth of Left Wing Extremism (LWE), including the absence of connectivity, education and employment, so that socio-economic measures can be taken to solve the issue in a comprehensive manner, said Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation **Amit Shah** on Saturday.

Reviewing Odisha's disaster management in Bhubaneshwar along with state Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik, Shah said the LWE-affected states should consider earmarking funds for the establishment of PDS (public distribution system) shops, construction of roads and make provisions for electricity in the affected areas to address the lack of development that was triggering the menace.

The Union minister, appreciating the efforts of the Patnaik-led government in tackling LWE, suggested that investments be made in infrastructure development in the affected areas to supplement the efforts of the Centre. He also assured the state government of all possible support in strengthening the road and communication network in the affected areas, especially connecting all villages with internet connectivity.

The Home Minister also lauded the initiative of the state in moving from disaster response towards disaster mitigation. He assured the state government of all requisite support of the Centre in mitigating efforts to make Odisha disaster-resilient. The meeting was also attended by the Union home secretary and senior officers of the Union Home Ministry and Odisha government.

Shah appreciated the preparedness of the state, which has made a lot of progress on disaster management after the super cyclone of 1999. He advised that AapDa Mitra and disaster warriors in the state should be imparted multi-disaster training, especially in handling chemical and nuclear disasters, which occur without warning. Shah also suggested that the home guard volunteers should be strengthened and given training in disaster response. Further, for ensuring maintenance of multi-purpose cyclone shelters established in the state, regular funding from the budget head should be provided.

LS polls: PM tells NDA MPs to stay connected with people

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi is learnt to have advised the NDA MPs to remain visible in their respective constituencies and connect with the people on every issue that plague development in the areas.

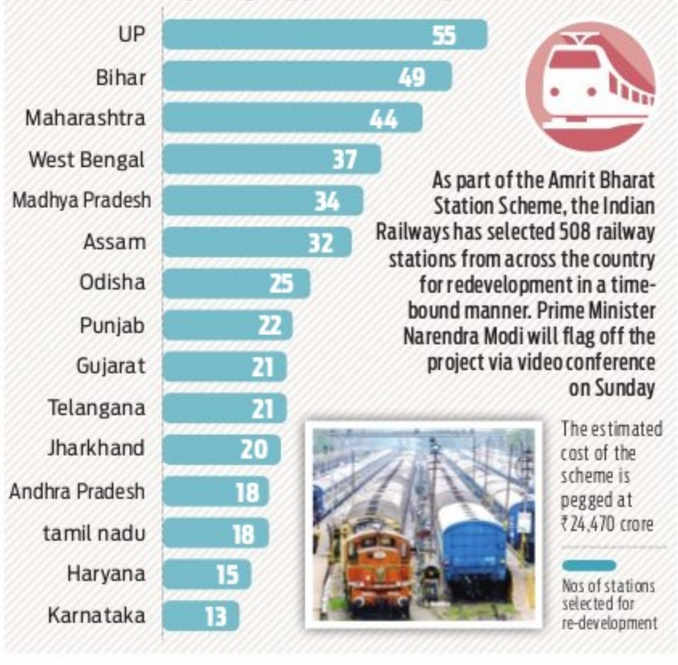
"Those, who remain connected with their people on the ground, are always considered by the people," the PM reportedly told the MPs of Bihar, Telangana, UP and other states. The PM in the recent meeting with NDA MPs also advised them to avoid courting controversies.

"NDA stands for the National Development & Advancement also. We are a coalition for cause and commitment for the country; not like a recent one formed under compulsion to escape from corruption charges. Therefore, our collective duty is take development to the people living even in the remote of the remotes parts," a senior BJP source said, quoting the PM Modi's recent meetings with the NDA MPs.

According to sources in the BJP, the PM Modi to be equipped the technology-driven methods of communication to expose the Opposition on corruption.

"By adopting a new political nomenclature, one cannot mislead the people. When the elections come, they turned more scared of being washed out from the politics because of their 'misdeed' and 'corruption'. Let it be known to all and sundry," a source said, quoting the PM at the meeting.

PM to flag off railway scheme



As part of the Amrit Bharat Station Scheme, the Indian Railways has selected 508 railway stations from across the country for redevelopment in a time-bound manner. Prime Minister Narendra Modi will flag off the project via video conference on Sunday

The estimated cost of the scheme is pegged at ₹24,470 crore

Nos of stations selected for re-development

The Bihar NDA MPs in particular were also advised expose the present Nitish Kumar-led government. Giving a political mantras ahead of the next LS election, the PM is learnt to have emphasised in tge meeting to create true perception of being not the representative of any particular caste or creed but of all visualising the government's basic mantra of 'Saab Ka Vikas; Saab ka saath' with 'Sab ke prayas'.

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BJP functionary quoted PM as saying

Sources said the PM was of a view that upcoming LS election is all set to be held on the basis of performances against the politics of appeasement. "Be prepared to add another people-centric, people-caring and people-development colour in the next election," a source quoted the PM as saying.

'Civil services induction calls for rethink as 70% recruits come from tech streams'

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

INDIA is losing a good number of technocrats to civil services, adversely affecting such areas of specialisation, a parliamentary committee has said.

"Above 70% of the recruits in the civil service by Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) nowadays are from technical streams. Every year, hundreds of technocrats are thus being lost, who are likely to work in other specific areas which are also a requirement for the nation," said the Parliamentary Standing Committee (Rajya Sabha) on Personel, Public Grievance, Law and Justice.

The committee, chaired by BJP MP Sushil Kumar Modi, has expressed serious concerns about the growing inflow of technocrats into civil services.

The UPSC recruit for the civil service also medical professionals, it noted. "So doctors and top technocrats are being lost, who can perform as very good doctors and engineers. The allurement to become civil servant is perhaps also adversely affecting other fields of working. Hence, the committee opines that it is high time to have a rethink about the whole process of recruitment for the civil services," the report said.

YEAR	NO OF CANDIDATES SELECTED	NO OF TECHNOCRATS	NO OF DOCTORS
2011	1,001	46	142
2012	1,091	408	156
2013	1,228	623	168
2014	1,368	699	183
2015	1,164	642	160
2016	1,209	717	125
2017	1,056	699	59
2018	812	509	48
2019	922	582	56
2020	833	541	33

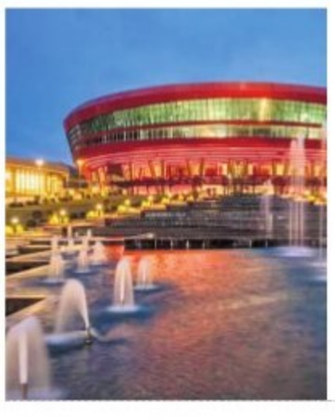
Delhi to get 'stay home' advisory on G20 event

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

RESIDENTS of Delhi-NCR will be issued an advisory to stay at home and only step out for essential services for three days in a row as a run-up to the G20 Summit that will be held in Delhi on September 9 and 10.

"The Delhi government is being urged to declare September 8 (Friday) as a holiday, wherein schools and offices would be closed. The two days of the summit happen to be on the weekend, so the movement will be restricted. Thousands of people will be part of the entourage of the G20 members and in order to make their movement within the city seamless without traffic jams, these steps would be taken," said a source.

Most arrivals of the delegations are expected to take place around September 8 evening and departures by evening of September 10 or morning of 11. Around 28 premier hotels in and around Delhi-NCR have been booked for the delegates.



Premier hotels booked

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With big leaders such as US President Joe Biden, Chinese Premier Xi Jingping, British PM Rishi Sunak and French President Emmanuel Macron are expected to attend this summit in person, these steps would ensure that movements within the city are seamless and uninterrupted.

"The best hotels have been identified and earmarked specially for the guests and their teams. Some member countries had reservations staying in proximity with the Chinese and Russian delegations. So, arrangements have been made for friendly countries to stay in the same property. For instance, Chinese and Brazilian delegations are likely to be staying in proximity," the source added.

The entourage of some countries is expected to be big, especially that of the US, which is expected to include over 500 people. The delegations from China and Japan are going to be large too. Saudi Arabia, who is a guest country, has reportedly booked an entire hotel as they too will have a large entourage.

Meanwhile, the official venue of the summit at Pragati Maidan (International Exhibition Cum Convention Centre) will have rooms for delegates with a rest area and facilities for live screening of the meetings. Bilateral meeting rooms have also been set up.

Interestingly, for the spouses who will accompany the delegates, the programmes that they can opt for include visits to places of cultural and historic interests and also places from where they can shop for traditional stuff.

LANDMINES DEFUSED

A rusted mortar shell and a landmine were detected and later defused in controlled explosions at separate places in Samba and Poonch districts of Jammu and Kashmir on Saturday, police said.

02 HELD ARRESTED WITH ARMS AND AMMUNITION IN PUNJAB

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	38	32	Bhopal	37	32
Jaipur	38	32	Amritsar	40	33
Chennai	36	30	Kolkata	36	31
Srinagar	31	28	Mumbai	38	34
Panaji	39	34	Patna	37	31
Lucknow	37	31	Port Blair	34	28
Imphal	30	22	Chandigarh	40	33

■ To woo Hindu vote, Kamal Nath's son organises Hanumat Katha in Chhindwara ■ BJP battles infighting, especially in South Gujarat

MP Cong plays Hindutva card ahead of elections

Congress for long mocked Hindu religious leaders as pakhandis (hypocrites). But the lust for power has finally brought their leaders to the feet of Hindu Rashtra backer Pandit Dhirendra Krishna Shastri

Shivam Shukla, state BJP spokesperson

Pursuing Hindutva

The ruling BJP has been aggressively pursuing its Hindutva agenda in the state and the CM has announced multiple religious various corridors in religious hotspots. It is the first time a Congress leader is hosting the katha

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bhopal

IN what is being seen as a fresh addition to Kamal Nath-led Congress's brand of saffron politics in assembly poll-bound Madhya Pradesh, Nath's son and party's lone Lok Sabha member from the state, **Nakul Nath**, has organised a three-day mega Hanumat Katha event in Chhindwara district – which since 1980 has been Nath family's political pocket-borough.

The Hindu religious event is being held at a massive venue close to the Hanuman Temple built by Kamal Nath in Simariya area. The discourse will be rendered by Hindu Rashtra supporter and self-styled godman, 26-year-old Dhirendra Shastri to a large gathering of Hanuman devotees, including former MP CM Kamal Nath. Just two days before the grand religious event had begun; the young Hindu godman (who is the Peethadhiswar of Chhatarpur-based revered Hanuman shrine Bageshwar Dham) had described the former CM Kamal Nath an ardent Hanuman devotee and his son Nakul Nath as a proud host of the three-day Hanumat Katha.

Nakul Nath, in a video message, had invited devotees to the Katha venue, where food and stay will be free. While Kamal Nath has visited and met the young godman, Dhirendra Shastri, in Bageshwar Dham in the past, other leaders of his party, including Leader of Opposition (LoP) Dr Govind Singh and Nath's key loyalist and ex-minister Sajjan Singh Verma, have been harsh critics of him.

In the last year and half, several BJP leaders, including key ministers, Gopal Bhargava, HS Dang, OPS Bhadoria and Govind Singh Rajput, have hosted similar kathas by Dhirendra Shastri, where CM Shivraj Singh Chouhan, too was present. But this is the first time that a Congress leader – Chhindwara MP Nakul Nath – is hosting katha by Shastri. The katha will continue till August 7.

As per sources, a similar katha by by Shastri is likely to be held in Chourai assembly segment of Chhindwara district in September. Importantly, the ruling BJP too has been aggressively pursuing its Hindutva agenda in the state and the CM has announced multiple religious corridors in various religious hotspots of the state (on lines of Ujjain's Mahakal Lok).

Infighting erupts in BJP as senior leader quits

Pradip Sinh has resigned due to personal reasons, and the party has accepted his resignation. I have nothing to say about the objectionable pamphlet leveling charges against Sinh

Rajni Patel, party general secretary

Discontent in BJP

The events comes at a time when there is rising discontent within a section of the state party, particularly in South Gujarat, against party chief Patil. Earlier on August 2, Surat City police arrested three for circulating defamatory letter against Patil.

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ Ahmedabad

THE long-simmering internal squabble within the ruling Gujarat BJP exploded on Saturday with the arrest of three party office-bearers on charges of defaming their own state party chief CR Patil. The arrest brings into sharp focus at least six instances of intra-party mudslinging in the previous month.

The Surat district BJP suspended three office-bearers on Friday after their arrest in the defamation case. In another unrelated development, powerful state party general secretary **Pradeep Sinh Vaghela**, resigned on Saturday after he came under a cloud in a matter still under wraps.

Addressing reporters at the BJP office in Gandhinagar, party general secretary Rajni Patel said "Pradip Sinh has resigned due to personal reasons, and the party has accepted his resignation." However, sources said that an anonymous pamphlet leveling allegations against Pradeep Sinh had been in circulation. His resignation comes just a few days after that incident.

Vaghela was appointed the party general secretary on August 10, 2016. The unfolding sequence of events comes at a time when there is rising discontent within a section of the party, particularly in South Gujarat, against party chief Patil.

Earlier on August 2, Surat City police arrested three persons for circulating an allegedly defamatory letter leveling accusations against CR Patil and some others. The three arrested are active party members from Surat. Following their arrest, the Surat district BJP suspended them.

The suspended party men delivered the letter and pen drives containing "supporting" evidence to BJP MLAs, MPs, and party leaders over a month ago, a source said. The Surat cops registered an FIR after party MLA Sandip Desai, who represents the Choriyasi constituency, lodged a complaint.

The controversy started when Ahmedabad-based Jinendra Shah was arrested by the Suart Crime Branch for allegedly attempting to blackmail CR Patil alleging irregularities in the management of party funds.

On all counts, the BJP is under fire from its own party leaders. This is when the party won 156 seats in the 182-member state Assembly.

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Vijayvargiya differs with Chouhan over seats

While CM Shivraj Singh Chouhan is confident that BJP will win 200-plus seats in next assembly polls, the party's national general secretary Kailash Vijayvargiya has claimed that 160-plus seats will be won by the party. Vijayvargiya's claims came just hours before union home minister Amit Shah asked party's booth level workers in Indore on July 30, to work for an assembly poll win which shatters all previous poll triumph records. Importantly, BJP's best performance in MP assembly polls so far had perhaps happened in 2003 polls when led by Uma Bharti, the party had swept polls winning 173 seats, against Congress's 38.

BJP's new panel to screen candidates

Knowing well that crossovers of leaders of other political parties will increase as the assembly polls draw closer, the BJP's new joining committee headed by home minister Narottam Mishra, has been asked by party leadership to carefully check the criminal and political past of various non-BJP leaders, before allowing them to join the party. As per party insiders, the BJP higher ups, possibly realizing that groupism has been growing in the party, after arrival of non-BJP or core Congress leaders (including Jyotiraditya Scindia loyalists) in 2020, has decided to be very strict while allowing leaders from other parties to join the saffron party.

Cong confident of taking 50-60% BJP bastions

Having tasked former CM and Rajya Sabha member Digvijaya Singh for rebuilding the party and boosting its electoral prospects on the 66 seats, which for long have been BJP bastions, the Congress is now eyeing to win 30-35 of those seats. As per party insiders, the work being done by Singh on the 66 seats, growing internal tussle within the BJP and rising anti-incumbency against the present government, have raised the possibility of Congress making inroads into BJP citadels. A leader from Singh's camp said that ex-CM is confident Cong may win 30-35 of those 66 BJP seats.

Gyanvapi row: Varanasi court gives 4 weeks to complete survey

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

THE Varanasi district court on Saturday awarded four weeks' time to the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) to complete its survey and scientific investigation and submit the survey report of Gyanvapi mosque premises. The district judge Dr AK Vishvesha posted the matter for next hearing on September 2.

As per sources, standing government counsel (Government of India) Amit Srivastava had moved the application on behalf of the ASI to seek four-week time from the Varanasi District Court on Friday, the day when survey commenced on the mosque premises.

The ASI survey was sought by four of five women plaintiffs in suit no. 18/2022 Rakhi Singh and others vs UP state and others case, in which they have sought round-the-year worship rights of Shringar Gauri and other deities on Gyanvapi premises. District judge Vishvesha had ordered the scientific survey to be conducted by the ASI on July 21 asking the agency to submit its report by August 4. The survey started on July 24, the Supreme Court of India stayed it till July 26.

Bulldozer 'justice' in Nuh continues as 100 shops razed

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

THE Yogi Adityanath-inspired bulldozer action continued in Haryana's Nuh on Saturday as over 100 establishments, including shops, houses and temporary structures, were demolished, with the local administration labeling these structures as illegal. These setups allegedly belong to the accused in the recent communal violence.

In Rohtak, a case was registered against unidentified persons after some people allegedly threw stones at the gate of a mosque, police said.

Over 100 establishments located at a dozen sites, which included more than 45 shops, mostly pharmacies opposite the main entrance of Shaheed Hassan Khan Mewati Hospital at Nalhar in Nuh, were demolished. Besides, 15 temporary illegal constructions were removed from over 2.5-acre government land. These shops came up years ago.

The areas where the demolitions took place included spots where cars were burnt and stone-pelting took place during communal violence on July 31.

"Notices were already given to the owners of the demolished structures. The owners of some structures were also involved in the violence during the religious yatra," said SDM Ashwani Kumar.

Sources said the district administration has started removing all those illegal encroachments, which could not be removed for several years.

Congress MLA from Nuh Aftab Ahmed has protested against such action. "The government should bulldoze houses in Gurugram and Palwal where mosques were attacked and the cleric was murdered. The houses of cow vigilantes who have been accused of instigating violence should also be pulled down," he said.

BJP leader gets 2 year jail in 2011 assault case, may lose MP status

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

IN a significant development, BJP MP from Etawah, Ram Shankar Katheria faces disqualification from Lok Sabha as he was convicted under Section 147 and section 323 of IPC awarded two-year imprisonment by an Agra MP/MLA court in connection with a 2011 assault case.

Katheria, a former Union Minister, is accused of assaulting an employee of the power supply company Torrent in Agra in 2011. In the wake of Saturday's court order, Katheria is likely to be disqualified from the Lok Sabha under the provisions of Representation of People's Act, 1951. He is the sitting Lok Sabha member from Etawah in Uttar Pradesh. As per the relevant provisions of Representation of People Act, 1951, an elected representative sentenced for any offence for two years or more faces immediate disqualification from the house.

Notably, as the comapny's manager Bhavesh Rasik Lal Shah was hearing the cases related power theft, the local MP Ram Shankar, who was then representing Agra in Lok Sabha, with his 10-15 supporters started assaulted Lal.

Art 370 scrapping anniv: Mehbooba under house arrest, NC office sealed

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

ON the 4th anniversary of scrapping of Jammu and Kashmir's special status and bifurcation of erstwhile J&K state into two Union Territories, the former J&K Chief Minister and PDP chief Mehbooba Mufti was placed under house detention and many of her party leaders detained. The National Conference's office was sealed while Lt Governor Manoj Sinha said biggest change of Article 370 revocation is that J&K common man is living life on his own terms without any fear.

"I've been put under house arrest along with other senior PDP leaders today," Mehbooba tweeted. "The house arrest comes after a midnight crackdown where scores of my party men are illegally detained in police stations. GOI's false claims about normalcy to the SC stands exposed by their actions driven by paranoia," she further tweeted.

Many other PDP leaders including Naeem Akhter and Ghulam Nabi Hanjoora were also placed under house detention while many youth leaders were detained.

A PDP leader Parvez Waffa was also detained in Jammu after he attempted to stage a protest against Article 370 revocation. Today was the 4th anniversary of scrapping of J&K's special status.

On August 5, 2019, centre scrapped Articles 370 and 35A and bifurcated erstwhile J&K state into two UTs — Jammu and Kashmir (with legislature) and Ladakh (without legislature).

"True to form and in keeping with the clampdown on mainstream democratic activities organised by parties opposed to Aug 5 2019, the JKNC office has been sealed by the police. No one is being allowed in or out of the office," the NC tweeted.

The Valley remained peaceful on Article 370 revocation anniversary day with no shutdown, no strike and no protests. In Jammu, the Congress leaders and workers staged a protest against Article 370 abrogation. Meanwhile, BJP is celebrating, stating that after the abrogation, J&K has become part of the development mainstream of the country.

On 6th orbit, module to release lander

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FOLLOWING the lunar-bound orbit manoeuvre on Sunday night, the propulsion module will be subjected to a series of orbit reductions till it settles into an orbit at an altitude of 100km from the lunar surface. On the sixth orbit, the propulsion module will release the lander, which carries the rover, to attempt a soft landing near the Moon's south pole on August 23. Once achieved, India will be the first country to have soft-landed near the south pole.

While the rover and lander modules will conduct on-site experiments for 14 days, the propulsion module will use its payload, Spectro-polarimetry of Habitable Planet Earth (SHAPE), to study the spectro-polarimetric signatures of Earth in the near-infrared wavelength range while in its orbit-reduction mode before the August 23 landing.

Its mission ends once it releases the lander and the rover.

INDIA TO CHALK OUT COMMON AGENDA IN MUMBAI

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

Meet on Aug 31-Sept 1

According to sources, the Opposition will also discuss the common minimum agenda so that they can go to people with some concrete plan against the BJP-led NDA alliance in the 2024 Lok Sabha election. Maharashtra Congress president Nana Patole said the third meeting of INDIA has been scheduled on August 31 and September 1 in Mumbai. They will form a 15-members committee, five each from each party, that will do coordination and execution of the meeting.

THE Opposition bloc's (INDIA) third meeting, tentatively scheduled for August 31 and September 1 in Mumbai, will discuss the common minimum agenda of the Opposition against the BJP.

NCP chief Sharad Pawar on Saturday called a meeting of Maha Vikas Aghadi (MVA). Shiv Sena (UBT) president Uddhav Thackeray, former Congress chief minister Prithviraj Chavan, Ashok Chavan, Congress Legislative party leader Balasaheb Thorat and Maharashtra Congress president Nana Patole, NCP state president Jayant Patil and Shiv Sena (UBT) leader Sanjay Raut were present in the meeting at Nehru centre in South Mumbai.

After the meeting, Maharashtra Congress president Nana Patole said the third meeting of INDIA has been scheduled on August 31 and September 1 in Mumbai.

"Like the earlier two meetings – Patna and Bangluru – the Mumbai meeting will also be very successful and fruitful," Patole said. He said it decided to form a 15-members committee, five each from each party, that will do coordination and execution of the meeting.

"Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge, Sonia Gandhi, Rahul Gandhi and several s tate chief ministers and prominent leaders of various political fronts will join the two days meeting in Mumbai," Patole added. According to the sources, he Opposition will also discuss the common minimum agenda so that they can go to people with some concrete plan against the BJP-led NDA alliance in the 2024 Lok Sabha election.

"In the first Patna meeting, no one was sure whether the Opposition would really come together against the BJP. But this first meeting happened successfully. Then, in the second meeting, the Opposition came up with an INDIA name for their alliance that surprised everyone including top leadership of the BJP. The Prime Minister and other BJP leaders panicked and reacted to this INDIA name. It shows that INDIA is heading in the right direction," said a senior NCP leader who requested anonymity.

He said the Opposition's party has decided to discuss the key issues such as seat sharing later. "After Mumbai meeting, there will be several other meetings where these controversial issues will be discussed. In the Mumbai meeting, the common minimum agenda will be discussed and the primary draft will be finalized," he added.

RUN-UP TO 2024

Saffron camp falls back on RSS to counter non-BJP alliance in Bengal

PRANAB MONDAL @ Kolkata

THE emergence of INDIA, the alliance of 26 non-BJP parties, has prompted the saffron camp to bring its ideological parent Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS) forward to prepare the party in Bengal for next year's high-octane Lok Sabha poll-battle.

Sources in the BJP said the RSS top-level functionaries will hold organisational meetings in August to give the party a roadmap on how to take on the TMC and its supremo Mamata Banerjee, who has been portraying the INDIA alliance as a force to derail NDA in 2024 from the Centre in next year's general elections.

"RSS leaders like Arun Kumar, a joint general secretary, senior leader Pradip Joshi held a meeting with Bengal functionaries including Sukanta Majumdar, Suvendu Adhikari and Amitabha Chakraborty in Delhi last month to take stock of the situation after the Panchayat polls in Bengal. In the meeting, it was decided that the feedback from the Bengal functionaries would be followed up in the RSS' organisational meeting in Kolkata scheduled to be held in the third week of August," said a senior BJP leader.

The leader said the RSS brass is worried about BJP's performance in the recently concluded rural polls in which the saffron camp won over 11,000 seats across the three tiers of the electoral exercise and the party's vote-share dropped to 22 per cent from 38 per cent in the previous Assembly polls in 2021.

"In 2021, Bengal went to polls and this year, it was only the electorates of rural Bengal who exercised their franchise. The comparison could be unjust but we believe, BJP's poor performance in north Bengal and Jungle Mahal's four districts in south Bengal, is responsible for the dip in vote share. This, we consider, a matter to be worried about," said a RSS leader.

The leader said the decision to come to the forefront in Bengal was taken to counter Mamata who is spearheading the INDIA's assault on the BJP.

The pockets in north Bengal and Jungle Mahal have been BJP's citadel since the 2019 general elections and it is believed the RSS played a crucial role in influencing the SC and ST communities who dominate the electoral strength of the regions. In 2019, the BJP bagged 12 our 13 Lok Sabha seats and in 2021 Assembly polls, the saffron camp won 30 of the 54 seats.

KARNATAKA URBAN WATER SUPPLY AND DRAINAGE BOARD
KALBURAGI DIVISION, KALBURAGI

Executive Engineer, Opp Mini Vidhan Soudha, Aiwan Shahi, Kalaburagi – 585 102.
Tel –08472-220815, Fax-08472-220816, Email : kwbeegbg@rediffmail.com

No. KWB/EEG/TEC/AE-2/ KKRDB-Aland/2023-24/1329 Date : 5-8-2023

SHORT TERM BID NOTIFICATION

(Through KPP-procurement Portal Only)

The Item Rate e – Tenders are invited from the firms / contractors who satisfy the Eligibility Criteria for the following works as detailed below:
1) Name and description of work: **PROVIDING AND LAYING OF DI FEEDER MAIN FROM MAHADEVAGONDA TO OLD GLSR BEHIND PWD OFFICE IN ALAND TOWN UNDER KKRDB GRANTS,** 2) Approximate value of work (Rs.) : **Rs. 53,58,188.00,** 3) Earnest Money Deposit(Rs.) : Rs.1,07,200.00, 4) Tender Processing Fee : As per KPP-procurement portal 5) Period for completion Including monsoon (Months) : Four Months including Monsoon, 6) Contact for Information : Executive Engineer KUWS & D Board, Division Kalaburagi, 7) Date and time for commencement of downloading of tender documents from the e-procurement portal : **07/08/2023 11.00 Hrs. onward,** 8) Last date & time for submission/ uploading of the tender document in the e-procurement portal : **23/08/2023 up to 16.00 Hrs.** 9) Date & time of opening of the technical tenders : **24/08/2023 After 17:00 hrs,** 10) Date & time of opening of the financial tenders : Will be notified to the qualified tenderers, 11) Website Address : **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer
DIPR/Kalaburagi/162/MC&A/2023-24 **KUWS & D Board, Division, Kalaburgi**

PUBLIC NOTICE

To the General Public, is hereby notify that, my client **Smt. Pavithra Rani** W/o. Rajendra Kumar, A is residing at No.25, 5th Cross, Sapthagiri Residency, near Jairam Das Building. Kenchenahali Village, Bengaluru-560059, has intended to purchase the immovable property (Sy.No. property) from Smt. Sowbhagya H.R. W/o late Paramashivaiah L. is presently residing at no.689, 8th cross, 8th main, RPC layout, Vijayanagar 2nd stage, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560104 and her children i.e. Smt. Nethravathi, Smt. Komala Paramashivaiah, Sri. P.Palanethra jointly.

SCHEDULE

All that part and parcel of the Agricultural Land measuring an extent of about 2 acres out of 3 acres 3 guntas situated on the southern side of Sy.No.22, which total measuring 6 acres 3 guntas situated at Singripalya, Magadi Taluk, Kasaba Hobli, Ramanagara District, bounded on **East by:-** Magadi Gudemaranahalli Main Road, **West by:** Government Gomala, **North by:** remaining property of same Sy.No and **South by:** Private Property.

The persons who are claiming any rights and interest title over the above mentioned property may kindly reply to us along with their objections, claims, title, interest, pending litigations, tenancy, mortgage, charges, lien or demand or any other interest of whatsoever in nature along with documentary evidence in respect of the above mentioned property within 07 days from the Publication of Notice or otherwise it will be considered has no claims to the above mentioned property to purchase the same from my client. And no claims and objections will be entertained after the period of expiry of this notice and shall not bind on our clients any more.

CONTACT Mr. NAVEEN
Mr.JOHN PAL, Mr.THARESH Advocates
No.50/4, 4th Cross, Sapthagiri Residency
Muthurayanagara Mysore Road Bengaluru-560059 Mob.No.9738255617

PUBLIC NOTICE

The undersigned advocate submit on behalf of my client **JEYA JYOTHI RAJARATHINAM, W/O. RAJARATHINAM,** Aged about 41 years, residing at Plot No. 187, Mukkai Cent, Jai Shakthi Nagar, Near New STC Hudco, Hosur, Krishnagiri Tamilnadu, Pin 635109. and others have filed the death petition for the death certificate of deceased by name **JAYARAJ S/O VEERAPPA NADAR as he died on 08.10.2021** at FAMILY CLINIC, BEHL Layout, Kenchenahalli. R.R.Nagar. Bengaluru 560078. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same or appear before the Hon'ble 27th A.C.M.M. Court on **11/09/2023 at 11-00 AM in C.Misc. No.4865/2023.**

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- SHERISTEDAR, COURT OF THE 27th A.C.M.M BENGALURU
Sri C. SUNDARAM, ADVOCATE

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients **Sri. Mukkesh Sharma** S/o **Mangilal Sharma, & Mitu Sharma, W/o Sri. Mukkesh Sharma Mahaveer Fortune, Flat No. 203, 1st floor "Block, Sy.No. 43/1, G Hosalli, Magadi Main Road Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore 560 091,** have intended to purchase of the property mentioned in the schedule below from Sri. Praveenkumar N. S/o V. Narashimamurthy aged about 33 years, #7, Kasturba Patil Muniyappa Layout, behind Mahaveer Appartment, Hosalli, Gollara Palya, Bangalore 560 091.

Now the public is hereby notified that if any persons/institutions have got any claims in respect of the schedule property are hereby requested to forward their claims with copies of the supporting documents to the under mentioned address within **TEN days** from today. If no claims are received within the said period my client will proceed and conclude the transaction as if there are no claims from any persons.

SCHEDULE A PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the residential site property bearing assessment No. 106/7 measuring east to west 70ft and north to south 60ft situated at Herohalli Village, YeshwanthpuraHobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore now within BBMP ward No-72, having BBMP katha No. 126, property No. 106/07, and, bounded on: **East by :** Road
West by : Property belonging to Smt. Lakshminarasamma **North by :** Vendors property, **South by :** Private Property.

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the residential site property bearing assessment No. 106/7 measuring east to west 40ft and north to south 40ft carved out of A schedule property and bounded on: **East by :** Road
West by : Remaining portion of Vendors 30 x 40 **North by :** Remaining portion of Vendors property, **South by :** Private Property.

Bangalore. Date: 05-08-2023
Nijagunaradhya T. C. Advocate.
#27, 2nd floor, Someshwara Complex. Opp Srinivasa Nursing Home, Park Road, Akkipet, Bangalore 560 053. Ph:9480765708, 9008890391

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE 1st ADDL. CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC. AT NELAMANGALA
C. Misc. No. 157/2023

BETWEEN: 1. Sri K.G. SIDDAIAH, S/o late Huccheveradamma, aged about 46 years, R/at at Kerekottigaroor village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. and 5 others ... **PETITIONERS**

AND: The Thasildar, (Registrar of Births and Deaths) Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rurla District. ...**RESPONDENT**

NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of **Petitioners No.1's step Grandfather, Petitioners No.2's Husband, Petitioners No.3 to 5's father and Petitioners No.6's brother in law** by name **BYLAPPA, S/o Late Gandaiah,** was died on 20.03.1995 at Kerekottigaroor village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. The Hon'ble court has fixed on **07/08/2023** for hearing of the petition and that if any person/s desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at **11:00 A.M** failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on 23/06/2023

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer Court of the Civil Judge, Junior Division, and J.M.F.C, Nelamanga

Advocate for Petitioner: **SNM LAW CHAMBER**
Sri NARASIMHAMURTHY
No. 101, Byraveshwaranagara, Sandeokppa Road, Near Eurokids School, Nelamangala Town, Nelamanga-562123.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public, that may client **Sri. P Hemadri Reddy,** S/o Munirathnam Reddy residing at No.102, Dhruva Chinmayi Nilaya Apartment, Suncity layout, Kodathi, Village Road, Sarjapur Road, Bangalore -560099, has lost the original sale deed dated. 27-8-2015, Doc no-7478 sold by N Srinivas in favour of T Babu Reddy for Site no- 3 property no- 7/4 (old no-7/1) Katha no- 631 measuring east to west 45 ft and North to south 18.5 ft totally 832.5 Sq. Ft. and sale deed dated. 27-8-2015 executed by G Ravi in favour of T Babu Reddy for site no- 3, property no-7/3 (Old no-7/1) Katha no.369, measuring east to west 45 ft and North to south 11.5 sq. ft totally 517.5 sq. ft, both properties situated at Kodathi Village, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk.

My client has already registered complaint before police station in LR no.0672100/2023 and publics are hereby informed that any transaction with the above-mentioned lost sale deeds without my client consent or knowledge and information, shall be deemed to be invalid and not binding on my client

SANTOSH SHETTY ADVOCATE
 # 468/A,2ND, A Cross LBS Nagar
Vimanapura post Bengaluru-560017

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY G20

Tender Notice No: 22/2023
Dated : 31-07-2023

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-Tenders for the following works.

Description in brief : Supply of 4C x 400 sqmm PVC insulated armoured with heat resistant insulation PVC outer sheath multi core LTUG cable with standard aluminium conductor with IS 1554 Part-I with latest amendments suitable for working voltage up to and including 1100V. **(Tender No. L8226016) (Qty : 7300 Metre)**

Last date for submission of bids:
Upto 10:30 Hrs on 25-08-2023
For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in
Senior Divisional Materials Manager
PUB/284/AAS/PRB/SWR/2023-24 **Bengaluru**
S.W.Railways SWRRLY SWRRLY

KARNATAKA INDUSTRIAL AREAS DEVELOPMENT BOARD

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
 # 49, East Wing, 4th & 5th Floor, Khanija Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bengaluru – 560 001.
Phone No. 080-22265383, website : www.kiadb.in

No.IADB/ENGG/PMC/EPTND-EP-01/140/2023-24 Date: 04.08.2023

SHORT TERM NOTICE INVITING TENDER FOR PROVIDING PROJECT MANAGEMENT CONSULTANCY SERVICES

(Through GOK Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Only)

Tender under two cover system are invited under Quality Based Consultancy System (QBCS) as per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 1999 and Rules 2000 through electronic procurement from eligible Consulting Firms as per the schedule given below for the following works.

Name of the work: (1) Formation of Industrial Layout at MMLP, Obalapura Industrial Area, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District. **(2)** Formation of Industrial Layout at Krishnarajapura Block, Obalapura industrial Area, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District. **(3)** Formation of Industrial Layout Including at Doddagollahalli Block Sector-2 Industrial Area, Devanahalli & Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District. **(4)** Providing Water Supply Scheme at Devanahalli General Industrial Area of Devanahalli & Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District.

Last date for submission of bids is: **19.08.2023 upto 04:00 pm**

Applicants may download bidding documents from Karnataka Public Procurement Portal, **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/-
DIPR/CP/784/Zen/2023-24 **Chief Engineer-1, KIADB Bengaluru**

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
Jammu and Kashmir Power Transmission Corporation Ltd
Office of the Executive Engineer
Transmission Line Maintenance Division-I (TLMD-I), Bemina, Srinagar
Ph. No. 0194-2492427, Email: xentlmd1psdf@gmail.com/ tlmd1tech @gmail.com

TENDER NOTICE

e-NIT No: 07/JKPTCL/TLMD-I/SGR/2023-24; Dated: 04.08.2023

For and on behalf of the Lt. Governor of UT of Jammu & Kashmir, e-Tenders (in Two Covers) from reputed, experienced, competent and financially sound electrical Contractors/Firms/Joint Ventures fulfilling the eligibility criteria specified in the standard bidding document are invited online for the works detailed below.

e-Tenders need to be accompanied with a non-refundable Tender Fee in the form of Demand Draft pledged to Executive Engineer, Transmission Line Maintenance Division-I, Bemina, Srinagar for **Rs.1000.00** (Rupees One Thousand Only) on account of **Cost of Tender Document** and **EMD** amounting to **Rs. 44,700.00** (Forty Four Thousand and Seven Hundred only) in the form of CDR/FDR/BG as security deposit pledged to Executive Engineer, TLMD-I, Bemina.

Cover-I: The bidding process is online. However, hardcopies consisting of **Tender fee and EMD** in accordance with General Terms and conditions of SBD (original instruments) in cover-1 should reach to the office of Executive Engineer, TLMD-I, Bemina, Srinagar (Phone No. 9419181913) one day after the last date for online submission of e-Bid.

However, after opening of the tenders online, L1 Bidder will be called to submit his/her Original/Photocopies of documents viz. relevant documents valid and renewed contractor License /Labour Registration Certificate, GST registration, PAN card, TIN No. and all other documents related to the bid for synchronization with Techno commercial evaluation.

Cover-II: The bidder shall upload online rates as per detailed BOQ enclosed as Annexure-A. The rates shall be inclusive of all taxes etc.

The Standard Bidding Document shall be kept available at website **http://jktenders.gov.in.**

S.No	Scope of the Work	Estimated Cost (in Lac)	Tender Fee	EMD	Time of Completion
1.	UPGRADATION/STABILIZATION OF EXISTING EHV TRANSMISSION LINE INFRASTRUCTURE BY WAY OF STRINGNING OF CONDUCTOR AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS OF 132KV D/C HABBAK-CHESHMASHAHI TRANSMISSION LINE ALONG WITH FIXING OF MISSING MEMBERS OF TOWERS OF 132KV D/C PAMPORE-CHESHMASHAHI TRANSMISSION LINE	22.34 Lac	Rs.1000/-	Rs. 0.447 Lac	02 months

The information regarding schedule of downloading of the tender document, seeking of clarifications and submission dates thereof is as per the table below

CRITICAL DATES SCHEDULE

e-NIT No: 07/JKPTCL/TLMD-I/SGR/2023-24; Dated: 04.08.2023

1.	Issue of NIT	04.08.2023
2.	Downloading of bidding documents **(Start)**	04.08.2023 (03:30 PM)
3.	Start date for seeking clarifications	05.08.2023 (10:00 AM)
4.	End date for seeking clarifications	08.08.2023 (04.00 PM)
5.	End date for replies to clarifications	09.08.2023 (04:00 PM)
6.	E-Bid submission **(start)** date & time (uploading of e-tender fee, EMD and other supporting documents in PDF formats)	05.08.2023 (10:00 AM)
7.	e-Bid submission (end) date & time (Submission of e-tender fee, bid security and other supporting documents in PDF formats)	19.08.2023 (04:00 PM)
8.	Last date for submission of Hard Copy of e-Bid	19.08.2023 (04:00 PM)
9.	Online Techno-Commercial e-Bid opening date and time.	21.08.2023 (02:00 PM)
10.	Venue of opening of Techno-Commercial-Bids	Office of the Executive Engineer, TLMD-I, Bemina
11.	Cost of e-Bid document	**Rs. 1000.00**
12.	EMD	**Rs. 44,700.00**

Only the bidders possessing the qualifying criteria as mentioned in the SBD should participate in the bidding process.

Clarifications can be sought from the office of the under signed (Phone No. 9419181913) or on E-Mail addresses: **tlmd1tech@gmail.com**

Before participating in the bids, the bidder shall visit the site of work, have firsthand assessment of the tendered job and acquaint himself with the site of work and local conditions. The bidder shall make first hand assessment of the expenses involved with the actual execution of the contract at various sites and accordingly quote the prices. Any item or items required for arriving at the goal corresponding to a particular job item description in BOQ but not exclusively mentioned therein shall be treated to be included in the particular job item description without incurring any further financial liability on JKPTCL.

The Corporation (JKPTCL) reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without assigning any reason thereof.

The Bidders are advised to furnish and upload complete bidder address including address of place of business along with all valid Landline/Mobile Nos /fax Nos plus e-mailing addresses.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
Transmission Line Maintenance Division-I,
Transmission (Kashmir), JKPTCL, Bemina, Sgr

No: TLMD-I/TS//23-24/07A/1374-78
Dated: 04.08.2023

UTTAR PRADESH RAJKIYA NIRMAN NIGAM LTD

NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

NIT NO- 02/PM/UPRNN/BLR/PU-ELE/MP/23 Dt. 01.08.2023

The Project Manager, **UPRNNL. Banglore Unit** invites on behalf of the Managing Director, invites E-tender from interested eligible Manpower agencies for the service of maintenance works of **Pondicherry University, Karaikal, Portblair - Date & Time of Submission:** 10/08/2023 at 6:30 PM.

For Details Please visit: **http://www.etender.up.nic.in** and UPRNNL: **http://www.uprnn.upsdc.gov.in**

Government of Odisha
Office of the Chief Construction Engineer
Rural Works Circle ,Angul

E-Mail - sencrwangul@yahoo.co.in ☎ 06764 - 236404

e-Procurement Notice for Building work in Odisha
Bid Identification No. Building Online AGL- 11/2023-24

O-548 No.1694 // Dt.02.08.2023 //

1. Name of the work : Building works
2. Total No.of work : 02 Nos.
3. Estimated cost : Rs.480.31 to 480.41 Lakh Approx.
4. Class of Contractor : 'A' Class
5. Period of completion. : 11(Eleven) Calendar Months
6. Other details.

Procurement Officer	Bid Identificati on No.	Availability of Tender on-line for bidding		Last Date & Time of seeking tender clarification	Date & Time of opening of tender	
		From	To		Technical Bid	Financial Bid
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle,Angul	Building-Online - AGL-11/2023-24	09.08.2023 at 10.00 A.M	23.08.2023 up to 5.00 P.M	22.08.2023 upto 1.00 P.M	24.08.2023 up to 11.00 A.M	Will be intimated separately

(1) For detailed Notice inviting Tenders, Please visit to the website www.tendersorissa.gov.in

OIPR-25180/11/0015/2324 **Sd/-**
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle,Angul.

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER, MINOR IRRIGATION, ODISHA, BHUBANESWAR

(Email id- cemi.odisha@gmail.com . Telephone no- 0674-2391525)
Government of Odisha "e" Procurement Notice.

A-400
Bid Identification No-CE/MI/EPC/01/23-24

Letter No: W-III-WSIDP (T)-01/2023/ 8655 **Dated 01.08.2023**

Online tenders are invited from eligible bidders for Construction of Head Works of Jhanjabati Barrage Project (In-stream storage structure) in Narayanpatna Block of Koraput District across river Jhanjabati in State of Odisha including Hydro-Mechanical Works, Power Connectivity Works, Road Connectivity, Staff Quarters with Design and estimate of all Components and Operation & Maintenance of the project for a Period of five years or five Flood Seasons whichever is more after successful commissioning of the project on EPC Contract.

1	**Name of Work**	Construction of Head Works of Jhanjabati Barrage Project (In-stream storage structure) in Narayanpatna Block of Koraput District across river Jhanjabati in State of Odisha including Hydro-Mechanical Works, Power Connectivity Works, Road Connectivity, Staff Quarters with Design and estimate of all Components and Operation & Maintenance of the project for a Period of **Five years** or **Five Flood Seasons** whichever is more after successful commissioning of the project
2	**Approximate Value of work put to Tender**	**Rs. 99,78,78,000.00** (Excluding GST)
2	**Period of completion**	**24 calendar months** including rainy season.
3	**Date & time of availability of bid document in the portal**	**Dt 08.08.2023 from 11.00 AM to Dt. 04.09.2023 up-to 5.00 P.M.**
4	**Last date/Time for receipt of bids in the portal**	**Dt.04.09.2023 up-to 5.00 P.M.**
5	**Name & address of the officer inviting Bid**	Chief Engineer, Minor Irrigation (Odisha) H.O.D. Building, Keshari Nagar, Bhubaneswar-751001

Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal "**https://tendersodisha.gov.in**"

OIPR-32032/11/0003/2324 Sd/- Chief Engineer

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore

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SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM -1Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **08.09.2023 (10.30 AM to 11.00 AM),** for recovery of **Rs.3,37,36,956.53/- as on 04.08.2023** with further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank from (1) M/s. Falcon Industries,** No. B-9, Herehalli Indl. Estate, Hirehalli, Tumkur-572106. **(2) Mr.Abdulla Mavad** S/o. M S Ahmed, No.15, 1st Phase, 2nd Main, West of Chord Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010. **Also at : Mr.Abdulla Mavad** S/o. M S Ahmed, No.22, 2nd Main Road, Muneshwara Layout, Manorayanapalya, Bangalore-560032. **(3) Mr. Adnan Maved** S/o Mr. M S Ahmed. No.15, 1st Phase, 2nd Main, West of Chord Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore- 560010. **Also at: Mr. Adnan Maved** S/o. Mr. M S Ahmed, No.22, 2nd Main Road, Muneshwara Layout, Manorayanapalya, Bangalore- 560032.

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **07.09.2023 at 5.00 pm** by way of DD favouring **Authorized Officer, Canara Bank ARM-1 Branch** or through online payment to **Account No.209272434 (IFSC CNRB0002366)** is as under.

(₹.In Lakhs)

Lot	Description of the immovable / Movable assets	Reserve Price	EMD	Incre -mental Value
1	Row house bearing No.W-11, in the complex known as "UNISHIRE ESPLANADE" with approximately 3754 Sq.ft on built-up area (2309 Sq.ft UDS) constructed on the immovable property bearing one contiguous piece of land bearing corporation No. Sy. No.87, now bearing BBMP Khatha No.44/5/87/1 situated at Thirumenahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, falling within the jurisdiction of Yelahanka Sub-Division, Ward No. 5, Bangalore and bounded as follows: East by : Open Space, West by : Driveway, North by : Row House No. W-012, South by : Row House No. W-10.	₹.167.84	₹.16.79	₹.1.00

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or may contact Chief Manager, ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No.9599662508 and Sr. Manager other contact no 7483935007 during office hours on any working day.

Date : 05.08.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bengaluru **Canara Bank**

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TENDER NOTIFICATION No.10/23-24, Dt. 06.08.2023

(Through e-Procurement Portal only)

Tenders are invited by "The Dy.General Manager (Materials)" for the procurement of following items from reputed manufacturers/authorized dealers, as detailed below.

Sl. No.	Description	Approx. Value (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD in (Rs.)
1	Supply of LDD & SDD 3 Mtr. **HGML/2023-24/IND0091.**	28.40	57,000/-
2	Manufacturing, Testing, Supply and Commissioning of Pneumatic Tyre mounted Loaders Equivalent to EIMCO 824 Loader of Reputed Make at Hutti Gold Mines. **HGML/2023-24/IND0081.**	90.00	1,80,000/-
3	Supply, Installation and Commissioning of 3 Ton Capacity Battery Operated Locomotive. **HGML/2023-24/IND0079.**	82.70	1,65,500/-
4	Annual Requirement of Litharge Powder. **HGML/2023-24/IND0080.**	31.12	62,000/-
5	Manufacturing, Testing, Supply and Commissioning of PNEUMATIC SIMBA JUNIOR RIG COMPLETE 57 MM of Reputed Make at Hutti Gold Mines. **HGML/2023-24/IND0083.**	26.25	52,500/-
6	SUPPLY OF POWER Distribution Panels. **HGML/2023-24/IND0086.**	25.46	51,000/-
7	Painting of head gear structure. **HGML/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT29**	24.66	49,000/-
8	Supply of 3.3 KV Vacuum Circuit Breaker Panel. **HGML/2023-24/IND0077.**	15.00	37,500/-
9	Supply of Man Winding Wire ropes. **HGML/2023-24/IND0038.**	14.80	37,000/-
10	Supply of Auxiliary Electric Fans (2 X 5HP). **HGML/2023-24/IND0088.**	12.74	32,000/-

Calender of events:
1) **Sl.No.1.**Last date for receipt of tender:- **21.08.2023 at 4.00 pm**
2) Opening of Technical Bid on:- **24.08.2023 at 10.00 am**
3) **Sl.No.2 to 10** Last date for receipt of tender:- **05.09.2023 at 4.00 pm**
4) Opening of Technical Bid on:- **08.09.2023 at 10.00 am**

For further details interested bidders are advised to log on to website **https://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact the office of undersigned during working hours. For participating in the above tender bidder needs to be registered in e-procurement portal.

Sd/- General Manager (Tech)

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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

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Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** for recovery of below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below .

Sr/ Lot No.	Name & Address of Borrower/s Guarantor/s, Mortgagor (s)	Short Description of The Immovable Property With Known Encumbrances, If Any	A. Branch Name B. Account Number C. Total Dues	Date & Time of E-Auction	A. Reserve Price B. EMD Amount C. BID Increase Amount. D. Last Date of EMD E. Possession	Property Inspection Date & Time
1	**(1) Mr Shamshuddin K,** No 35/1, 1st Main Dharmanna, Garden Dinnur, R T Nagar,Bangalore-560032. **(2) Mrs Seema N,** No 35/1, 1st Main Dharmanna, Garden Dinnur, R T Nagar, Bangalore-560032	All that piece and parcel o the property bearing Flat No F-9, 1st Floor Balaji Elite Sy No 81 situated at Kachanayanahalli Village, Now under limits of Hennagara Village Panchayath, Khatha/Property No 455/81, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore total Measuring 1010 Sqft and UDS of 345 Sqft **KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES: NIL**	A. ROSARB (SOUTH) B. 74370600000380 74370600000544 C. Rs. 5,30,492/- Rs. 60,45,449/- Totalling to Rs. 65,45,941/- As on 04.08.2023 with further Interest from 05.08.2023 along with costs, Khatha Charges and other charges etc.,	23.08.2023 2.00 P.M. TO 6.00 P.M.	A. Rs.16,90,000/- B. Rs. 1,69,000/- C. 25,000/- D. 22.08.2023 E. PHYSICAL POSSESSION	After 12.08.2023
2	**(1) M Irfan,** No 32, 1st cross, 1st Main, New Gurupanpalya, Bangalore-560029 **(2) Mrs Shaheen,** No 38, 1st Cross, New Kalasipalya , Bangalore-560002	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing FLAT NO. TF-17,3rd Floor "Balaji Elite" Situated At Kachanayakanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District 560099. Super Built Up Area 1410 Sqft Uds 481 Sqft One Car Parking Land Bounded by :East: Road, West: Road, North : Road, South : Private Property. **KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES: NIL**	A.ROSARB (SOUTH) B.74370600000504 Rs. 86,75,775/- As on 04-08-2023 ith further Interest from 05.08.2023 along with costs, Khatha Charges and other charges etc.,	23.08.2023 2.00 PM TO 6.00 PM	A. Rs. 24,50,000/- B. Rs. 2,45,000/- C. 25,000/- D. 22.08.2023 E. PHYSICAL POSSESSION	After 12.08.2023
3	**M/S.Pruthvi Infrastructure** No.37, 2nd Cross, Jambusavaridinne, J P Nagar, 8th Phase, Bangalore -560076 **Developers Rep By Partners : 1. Mr. Pruthviraj S/o P Shankar 2. Mr P Shankar S/o Late Pillappa 3. Mrs.Rashmi Pruthviraj** All the above 3 Partners Residing at No.37, 2nd Cross, Jambusavaridinne, J P Nagar, 8th Phase, Bangalore -560083.	All that piece and parcel of Residential Flat No.303, 3rd Floor. D Block, Pruthvi Royal, K No. 220/43, Sy No. 43, 2nd Cross. MLA Layout. Gottigere, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore. Measuring: 1483.12 Sq ft Super Built Area, 382.24 Sq Ft UDS, one car parking included Flat Bounded by : North : Flat No 304, South : Flat No 302, East : Corridor, West : Block C. **KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES : NIL**	A. Rosarb (South) B. 73620600000504 73620500000017 73620600000839 C. Rs.89,26,822.00 Rs.41,73,189.00 Rs.1,47,945.00 Totalling To Rs. 1,32,47,956.00 As on 04.08.2023 with further Interest from 05.08.2023 onwrds and along with Tax and other charges etc.,	23.08.2023 2.00 PM TO 6.00 PM	A. Rs.36,90,000/- B. Rs. 3,69,000/- C. 25,000/- D. 22.08.2023 E. PHYSICAL POSSESSION	After 12.08.2023

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm and https://ibapi.in. Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on Tel No.080-25584066 (ext 710) and Mobile No.7483914701.

Date : 05.08.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer,**
Place : Bengaluru **Bank of Baroda**

No major hurdle in holding election after Imran's arrest, say analysts

Ruling party's leader says ex-PM's arrest was a prerequisite to polls

LAHORE

IMRAN Khan's conviction and his three-year jail term in a corruption case have cleared a "major hurdle" for the ruling PML-N and the military establishment, who appear to be on the same page, to hold the elections, a leading political analyst said on Saturday.

From political analysts to politicians of the mainstream parties, there has been a discussion in Pakistan in recent weeks that the general elections which are due in October/November will only be held once Imran is sent to jail, making it easier for the military establishment to get desired results (in the polls) and install a set up of its choice.

Political analyst Hasan Askari Rizvi told *PTI* that after the arrest of Imran, there seems to be no reason left to delay the polls. "Both the ruling PMLN and the military establishment appear to be on the same page," he said.

The elections may be delayed for a couple of months because of the census issue, he said, adding that otherwise no other "major hurdle" is left.

Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif recently said that elections will be held under the digital census of 2023.

Senior PTI leader Mussarat Cheema said Imran was arrested to meet the demand of the PML-N, especially its chief organiser Maryam Nawaz who had set this condition for going into polls.

"Today, justice was slaughtered by disqualifying and convicting a national hero (Imran Khan) in a phoney case. This is what Maryam Nawaz has long been demanding—a level playing field to go into elections," she said in a tweet.

A senior PML-N leader in Punjab told *PTI* that Imran's arrest has paved the way for general elections.

"There was an apprehension, both in the establishment and PML-N that as long as Khan is a free man, it will not be easy to contain him in polls. Therefore, his arrest was a prerequisite to the polls...otherwise delay was imminent," he said on the condition of anonymity.

Columnist Nadeem Farooq Paracha linked the dramatic rise and fall of Imran with his style of politics attached to the powerful military establishment. "The so-called 'Imran Khan Project' has been systematically dismantled by the same army institution that had first launched it with great fanfare in 2011," he said.

He added the cricketer-turned-politician has been networking with former military personnel since the days when he formed a lobby with the former ISI chief Hamid Gul in 1994. Imran then formed his own party, the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf in 1996 but, till 2011, it remained a tiny outfit with a very small vote bank.

In 2011, the military establishment aided Imran in holding a massive public rally in Lahore that launched him as a potential third political force in Pakistan after the PML-N and the PPP. Currently, the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) is the most popular party.

Paracha said it was during Imran's 2014 sit-in against the PML-N regime that helped him fully mould his image as an 'incorruptible leader' with a vision and will to turn Pakistan into an Islamic welfare state.

Supporters of Pakistan's former prime minister Imran Khan shout anti-government slogans during a protest outside the press club in Quetta on Saturday | AFP

TOSHAKHANA TIMELINE

Imran Khan was arrested on Saturday shortly after an Islamabad trial court found him guilty of 'corrupt practices' in the Toshakhana case. Following is a timeline of the main developments

AUGUST 2022 National Assembly Speaker Raja Pervaiz Ashraf sent the Toshakhana case against Imran to the Election Commission of Pakistan (ECP)

SEPTEMBER 19, 2022 The ECP reserved judgment in the case

OCTOBER 21, 2022 ECP ruled that Imran made 'false statements and incorrect declarations' about the gifts and disqualified him

NOV 21, 2022 ECP moved a session court in Islamabad for criminal proceedings against Imran

MAY 10, 2023 The trial court indicted Imran Khan

JULY 4, 2023 The Islamabad High Court (IHC) overturned the trial court's ruling and directed it to rehear the petitioner and decide the matter within seven days

JULY 8, 2023 Judge Humayun Dilawar declared the Toshakhana case against Imran as maintainable

AUGUST 2, 2023 The trial court rejected the list of witnesses presented by Imran

AUGUST 4, 2023 IHC Chief Justice Aamer Farooq referred the matter back to the trial court with a direction to re-examine the jurisdiction in the filing of the complaint by Election Commission

AUGUST 5, 2023 Judge Dilawar found Imran guilty of 'corrupt practices' in the Toshakhana case and sent him to jail for three years

SECOND SEA ATTACK

Ukrainian drones hit Russian tanker, again in Black Sea

KYIV

UKRAINIAN drones hit a Russian tanker in the Black Sea near Crimea late Friday night, as per Russian officials and video circulating on social media.

The strike was the second sea attack involving drones in one day, after Ukraine struck a major Russian port on Friday.

Moscow strongly condemned what it sees as a Ukrainian "terrorist attack" on a civilian vessel in the Kerch Strait, said Russian Foreign Ministry spokeswoman Maria Zakharova. "There can be no justification for such barbaric actions, they will not go unanswered and their authors and perpetrators will inevitably be punished," she added.

An official with Ukraine's Security Service confirmed to *AP* that the service was behind the attack on the tanker, which was transporting fuel for Russian forces. A sea drone, filled with 450 kilograms of TNT, was used for the attack, added the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

"The Sig tanker ... suffered a hole in the engine room near the waterline on the starboard side, presumably as a result of a sea drone attack," Russia's Federal Agency for Marine and River Transport wrote on Telegram, adding that there were no casualties among the 11 crew members.

Vladimir Rogov, a Kremlin-installed official in Ukraine's Zaporizhzhia region, said several members of the ship's crew were wounded because of broken glass.

Without specifying that Ukraine was responsible for the drone strike, Vasyl Malyuk, who leads Ukraine's Security Service, said that "such special operations are conducted in the territorial waters of Ukraine and are completely legal."

The attack briefly halted traffic on the Kerch Bridge, as well as ferry transport.

A post by Deputy Chair of Russia's Security Council Dmitry Medvedev implied that Russia would increase its attacks against Ukrainian ports in response to Kyiv's attacks on Russian ships in the Black Sea. "Apparently, the strikes on Odesa, Izmail, and other places were not enough for them," Medvedev wrote. *AP*

Kremlin intercepts US drone over Black Sea

Russia said on Saturday it scrambled an Su-30 fighter jet to "prevent a violation of the Russian state border" by a US Reaper MQ-9 military drone over the Black Sea. "As the Russian fighter approached, the foreign reconnaissance drone performed a U-turn away from the border," the Russian defence ministry said. The ministry said the drone belonged to the US Air Force. "The Russian aircraft returned safely to its airbase, there was no violation of the border," it added.

British scouts arrive at a hotel in Seoul on Saturday | AFP

US, UK scouts leave heatwave hit S Korean jamboree

SEOUL

AMERICAN and British scouts pulled out of the World Scout Jamboree in South Korea on Saturday citing scorching temperatures, as organisers vowed the event would continue despite criticism of dire campsite conditions.

About 43,000 people have joined the jamboree in North Jeolla province, but an extreme heatwave has seen hundreds of scouts fall ill, forcing Seoul to deploy military doctors, offer air-conditioned buses and vow an all-out effort to salvage the event.

American and British scout groups were withdrawing on Saturday, citing concerns over the extreme weather, even as organisers said the jamboree would continue, urging participants to view the event as a "platform for overcoming challenges."

The government conducted spot inspections and found conditions were no longer as dire as had been claimed, PM Han Duck-soo said, adding that after discussions with participating countries, "we decided to continue the event without stopping."

With widespread reports of rudimentary bathrooms and substandard sanitation, Kim Hyun-sook, South Korea's gender minister, told reporters Seoul would "add about 700 personnel today to address the issue of toilet cleaning."

The World Organization of the Scout Movement had called on South Korea to shorten the event—scheduled to run until August 12 in the coastal town of Buan—pointing to issues caused by extreme weather.

South Korea this week issued its highest hot weather advisory for the first time in four years. *AFP*

PEACE PITCH

Jeddah talks begin, Russia not on the list of invitees

RIYADH

SAUDI Arabia is hosting talks on the Ukraine war on Saturday in the latest flexing of its diplomatic muscle, a session that Kyiv acknowledged would "not be easy" given the wide range of countries represented.

The meeting, which Ukrainian organisers had said would include representatives from nearly 40 countries but not Russia, began on Saturday afternoon in the Red Sea coastal city of Jeddah.

The meeting highlights Saudi Arabia's "readiness to exert its good offices to contribute to reaching a solution that will result in permanent peace," the *Saudi Press Agency* said.

As per an agenda seen by *AFP*, the session was expected to feature three hours of statements from various delegations before a two-hour closed discussion and a dinner.

"I predict that the conversation will not be easy, but the truth is on our side," Andriy Yermak, the head of Ukraine's presidential office, said in an interview on Friday. "We have many disagreements and we have heard many positions, but it is important that we share our principles," added Yermak, who also heads Kyiv's delegation to Jeddah. "Our task is to unite the whole world around Ukraine."

Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy's office said this week that the meeting would focus on his 10-point peace formula that calls for the full withdrawal of Russian troops from Ukrainian territory. It also calls for the restoration of Ukraine's borders—including the territory of Crimea, annexed by Russia since 2014.

While Washington does not expect a major breakthrough or joint statements to come out of Saturday's session, diplomats instead said the Ukraine-organised meetings were intended to engage a range of countries in debates about a path towards peace. *AFP*

US approves first pill to treat postpartum depression

Federal health officials have approved the first pill specifically intended to treat severe depression after childbirth, a condition that affects thousands of new mothers in the US each year

ZURZUVAE PILL
The Food and Drug Administration on Friday granted approval of the drug, Zurzuvae, for adults experiencing severe depression related to childbirth or pregnancy. The pill is taken once a day for 14 days

Having access to an oral medication will be a beneficial option for many of these women coping with extreme, and sometimes life-threatening, feelings
Dr. Tiffany Farchione, FDA's director of psychiatric drugs

4,00,000 PEOPLE AFFECTED
Postpartum depression affects an estimated 4,00,000 people a year, and while it often ends on its own within a couple weeks, it can continue for months or even years

Standard treatment includes counseling or antidepressants, which can take weeks to work and don't help everyone

APPROVAL BASED ON STUDIES
The new pill is from Sage Therapeutics company, which has a similar infused drug that's given intravenously over three days in a medical facility

The FDA approved that drug in 2019, though it isn't widely used because of its $34,000 price tag and the logistics of administering it

The Food and Drug Administration's (FDA) pill approval is based on two company studies that showed women who took Zurzuvae had fewer signs of depression over a four- to six-week period when compared with those who received a dummy pill

MILDER SIDE EFFECTS
Sage did not immediately announce how it would price the pill, and that'll be a key factor in how widely its prescribed

Side effects with the new drug are milder than the IV version, and include drowsiness and dizziness. The drug was co-developed with Massachusetts pharmaceutical company Biogen

Sage's drugs are part of an emerging class of medications dubbed neurosteroids. These stimulate a different brain pathway than older antidepressants that target serotonin, the chemical linked to mood and emotions

ASIA MATTERS

INDONESIA

EXTENSION OF ENERGY PROGRAMME

Indonesian Minister of Energy and Mineral Resources Arifin Tasrif said that Indonesia and UK have agreed to extend their collaboration on the Mentari energy transition programme. "The UK is committed to increasing support for Indonesia's net zero emission target achievement," Tasrif said. Mentari is a programme aimed at enhancing the planning and procurement of renewable energy. The programme was initially scheduled to end in 2024, but it will be extended until 2027, *Antara* reported. "The UK will provide support worth £6.5 million for the programme," Tasrif said

MALAYSIA

AGENCY CONFISCATES BOAT, CIGARETTES

The Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency during a patrol at Kuala Batu Pahat confiscated a fibreglass boat and contraband cigarettes worth more than RM100,000. Batu Pahat zone MMEA director said a patrol team was conducting surveillance when they came across a boat in a suspicious condition at 4.30am on Saturday

THAILAND

SPANISH MAN CONFESSES TO MURDER: COPS

A Spanish man has confessed to murdering and dismembering the body of another foreigner on the popular Thai tourist island of Koh Pha Ngan, police said on Saturday. Police believe body parts including hips and thighs that were found at a rubbish dump on Thursday belong to a 44-year-old Colombian plastic surgeon they named as Edwin Arrieta Arteaga. Daniel Sancho Bronchalo, 29, who arrived in Thailand on July 31 as a tourist, has confessed to the murder, police said. "He admitted it," Koh Pha Ngan's police chief said, adding the investigation is ongoing.

Niger's junta ask for help from Wagner

NIAMEY

NIGER'S new military junta has asked for help from the Russian mercenary group Wagner as the deadline nears for it to release the country's ousted president or face possible military intervention by the West African regional bloc.

The request came during a visit by a coup leader, Gen. Salifou Mody, to Mali, where he made contact with someone from Wagner, Wassim Nasr, a journalist and senior research fellow at the Soufan Center, told *AP*. He said three Malian sources and a French diplomat confirmed the meeting first reported by *France 24*.

"They need (Wagner) because they will become their guarantee to hold onto power," he said, adding that the group is considering the request. A Western military official, speaking on condition of anonymity, told the *AP* they have also heard reports that the junta asked for help from Wagner in Mali.

Niger's junta faces a Sunday deadline set by ECOWAS to release and reinstate the democratically elected President Mohamed Bazoum.

On Saturday, France's foreign affairs minister, Catherine Colonna, said the regional threat of force was credible and warned the putschists to take it seriously. "Coups are no longer appropriate ... It's time to put an end to it," she said.

The ministry said France supports "with firmness and determination" the ECOWAS efforts and called for Bazoum and all members of his government to be freed. *AP*

EXPRESS READ

Death toll rises to 30 in northern China floods

Beijing: At least 10 people were killed in floods in a city near Beijing, officials said on Saturday, bringing the death toll from recent torrential rains in northern China to at least 30. Officials reported the deaths in Baoding, about 150 kilometres from Beijing, adding that 18 people were missing. By noon Saturday (0400 GMT), more than 6,00,000 of Baoding's 11.5 million residents had been evacuated from areas deemed to be at risk, officials said in a statement.

Pak's population grows by 35 million: Census

Islamabad: Pakistan's population has ballooned to 250 million, according to the results of the latest census published on Saturday, growing by 35 million in just six years. PM Shehbaz Sharif said the annual growth rate of 2.5% presented a "big challenge" for the nation. "Pakistan's population growth rate is more than Pakistan's economic growth," Sharif said. The country's first digital census was conducted by the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics throughout May 2023.

Pope prays at shrine known for apocalyptic prophesy linked to Russia

FATIMA

POPE Francis visited the Portuguese town of Fatima on Saturday to pray at a shrine known for apocalyptic prophesies of hell, peace and Soviet communism that have found new relevance with Russia's war.

Francis spent the morning in Fatima, praying with sick people and prisoners, alongside pilgrims who began filling the shrine's central esplanade long before sunrise. As Francis prayed before a statue of the Madonna, nearby wildfires turned the sky smoky black and sent ash flittering down on the crowd.

Vatican media had said Francis would pray for peace in Ukraine and the world while in Fatima. But for the third time this trip, Francis ditched his prepared remarks and didn't even recite a prayer that had been prepared for the occasion. Instead, he offered a meditation on the welcoming embrace of the Virgin Mary, to whom the shrine is dedicated.

Pope Francis meets with people with disabilities in Fatima on Saturday | AP

In explaining the changes, Vatican spokesman Matteo Bruni said Francis "always addresses firstly the people he meets, as a shepherd, and speaks accordingly." Francis often deviates from his prepared remarks, even more when speaking in his native Spanish.

Fatima Bishop Jose Ornelas made a prayer for Ukraine explicit in his remarks. "We associate ourselves to Your Holiness' prayer for peace, for which this sanctuary is profoundly identified, thinking in particular of the war in Ukraine and so many other conflicts in the world," Jose Ornelas said.

The trip was a brief excursion from Lisbon, where Francis has been presiding over World Youth Day celebrations, the big Catholic jamboree that has gathered nearly 1 million young Catholics together. *AP*

₹45 crore India has handed over to Sri Lanka to fund its unique digital identity project, the most crucial step in the island nation's digitalisation programme being implemented through the Indian grant assistance

Data protection bill: Everything we need to know

Opposition says bill will stonewall furnishing data of corrupt govt officials

RAKESH KUMAR@ New Delhi

THE government introduced the Digital Personal Data Protection (DPDP) Bill, 2023, on Thursday to safeguard citizens' data.

This is the third version of the bill, the work on which has been going on since 2017. It was year when the apex court of the country ruled that privacy is a fundamental right of the people of India, just like any other rights in the country. The decision compelled the government to come up with legislation to protect this right.

The bill was first introduced in the Rajya Sabha by telecom minister Ashwini Vaishnaw amid uproar from Opposition members, who were arguing that the bill had many flaws and it gives the government a free pass in case of breaches. Therefore, it should be moved to the parliamentary standing committee.

However, the minister called it a landmark bill, on par with world standards. Meanwhile, activists criticise the bill, complaining that it gives leverage to the government and dilutes the Right to Information Act (RTI).

This article will put a spotlight on additional rights citizens have gained, whether the government indeed has more power, and the current status of the Right to Information Act and the punishment for data breaches.

What rights citizens have?

According to the bill, no entities or data fiduciaries can use a person's data without their consent. If the data fiduciary needs to process data from people, it has to inform the reason and time for holding the data. Companies including Google, Amazon and telecom providers, banks, or insurance companies can't share data to another company without the consent.

The bill mandates a person to ask these entities where they have shared their data. In case the person is not satisfied with the response, they can file a complaint through the grievance redressal facility provided by a data fiduciary or a consent manager. If the issue is not resolved, they can go to the government-appointed Data Protection Board.

However, the bill also mandates certain obligations for the citizens, including providing accurate data to the fiduciary and keeping it updated in case of any changes. Users should not impersonate others while providing their personal data for a specified purpose.

ALL ABOUT THE BILL

- Bill was first introduced in Rajya Sabha by telecom minister Ashwini Vaishnaw this year amid uproar from Opposition members
- As per the bill, no entities or data fiduciaries can use a person's data without their consent

If a data fiduciary needs to process data from people, it has to inform the reason and time for holding the data
DATA PROTECTION

- Companies like Google, Amazon, and telecom service providers, banks, insurance companies can't share data to another company without consent of the person
- Bill mandates a person to ask these entities where they have shared their data

IN CASE THE PERSON IS NOT SATISFIED WITH THE RESPONSE, THEY MAY FILE A COMPLAINT THROUGH THE GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL

PENALTY
₹250
CRORE FOR DATA BREACH

- Bill mandates certain obligations for citizens including providing accurate data to fiduciary and keeping it updated in case of any changes
- Users should not impersonate others while providing their personal data for a specified purpose

Collection of kids' data

To collect data of kids under 18 years old, companies will need permission from their parents. Simultaneously, the data fiduciary categorically mentioned that the data will not likely cause any detrimental effect on the well-being of a child. They can't use the data for tracking or behavioral monitoring of children or targeted advertising directed at children.

Duty of data fiduciaries

The bill mandates the entities to process data only after seeking consent from an individual. They will have to show the reason and how long the company wants to retain the data. The entities will have to keep a data protection officer to address grievances of data principals.

Is government exempted?

Not in all cases, but in a few instances, the government is exempted from certain provisions. For instance, when it comes to matters related to the sovereignty and integrity of India, security of the state, or maintaining public order, the government doesn't need consent from individuals to process their data. Additionally, the government can retain the data for as long as they want, and individuals can't request them to erase their personal data. Similarly, private entities are also exempted in certain conditions such as in court or tribunal cases, for law enforcement purposes, or in cases of mergers, amalgamation, or debt recovery.

Establishment of Data Protection Board of India

The bill mandates establishment of the Data Protection Board of India (DPBI). The board will have a Chairperson and other members appointed by the government. Citizens who are dissatisfied with the grievance redressal mechanism provided by data fiduciaries can appeal to this board. For setting up the board, the government estimates an expenditure of about ₹25 crore towards initial capital expenditure and ₹10 crore annually for recurring expenditure. This expense will be incurred out of Consolidated Fund of India.

Will this make Right to Information Act toothless?

The bill refuses to furnish any personal details that don't have any state interest. The activists claimed that it will lessen the power of the RTI Act of 2005. According to the Opposition, the bill will stonewall furnishing of data like assets and liabilities, and education qualifications of corrupt government officials. However, the government denies this inference and said that as long as it is of public interest or state-related, there won't be any problem furnishing these details.

New provision

There are many changes introduced in the bill from its draft released in November 2022. It includes in case of data breach the entities are liable to pay up to ₹250 crore in each instance. Earlier, it was ₹500 in each case of data breach.

Also, if any fiduciary does not stop violating the rules after two instances or being penalised twice, the government can ban or block the platform. This is a new provision added in the bill this time.

The bill also includes a provision that allows a person aggrieved by an order of the Board to file an appeal before the Telecom Disputes Settlement and Appellate Tribunal (established under Section 14 of the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India Act, 1997) within sixty days from the date of the order.

NEWSCOPE

FOREST ACT AMENDMENTS: MORE TEETH TO HACK OUR GREEN COVER

GURBIR SINGH

ELON Musk has had a bumpy ride rebranding the more-than-a-decade old 'Twitter' to the ethereal letter 'X'. Last Monday, workers erected a crane and began removing the giant letters 'Twitter' at the company's San Francisco headquarters. The problem was necessary permissions like blocking a busy street had not been taken. Result: the police department swooped down and stopped the work leaving the half-torn sineage with the letters 'er'!

Half a hemisphere away, in Indonesia, there was more trouble. The Islamic country ordered the site be blocked as it could be taken for a porn site. Indonesia has strict laws restricting pornography and gambling and it was not very happy with what the rebranded X.com conjures up.

Elon Musk and his team have been mulling Twitter's rebrand for some time. The object is, they say, to turn Twitter into a super app – something like China's WeChat – for hyper-connected people that can do "everything" from access to podcasts, to shopping and watching videos.

"The Twitter name made sense when it was just 140 character messages going back and forth – like birds tweeting – but now you can post almost anything, including several hours of video... and the ability to conduct your entire financial world," says an Elon Musk post. "The Twitter name does not make sense in that context, so we must bid adieu to the bird," Musk said.

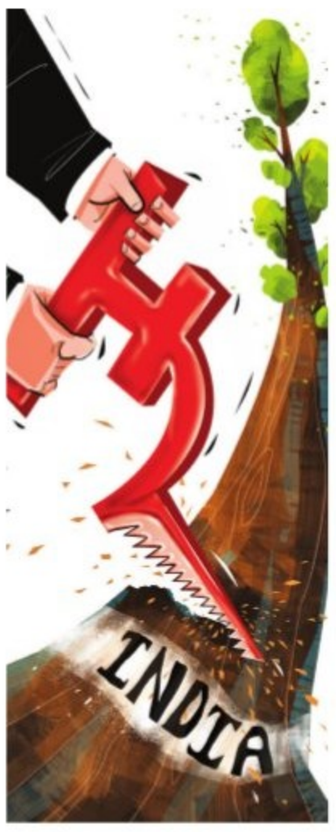
Musk's obsession

For the billionaire Musk, the letter 'X' has been an obsession. But it could well be the undoing of the $44 billion property he acquired last year.

In his early business days, Elon Musk co-founded the online bank 'X.com' in 1999, then merged it with rival Confinity to rebrand the merged venture as PayPal. Musk tried to convince the company to christen PayPal as 'X-PayPal'. The idea was market-tested, but dropped after customers said it sounded like porn.

Even after, Musk did not give up on 'X' and used it liberally for a string of products including his space venture 'Space X' and Tesla's 'Model X'.

Apart from the owner's infatuation for the letter 'X', is there any reason why 'Twitter' should be rebranded? Twitter logs 450 million users on a monthly basis. As many as 52% of its users are Gen Z or 25 years or less. As a brand, it has high penetration; and though as not as large as Meta or Google, it has followers who are high networth, and are super active communicators.



SOURAV ROY

As a brand, it has evolved successfully – with many hiccups of course – over 17 years since 2006. For the celebrity, it is the fashionable go-to space. So what is wrong with Brand Twitter?

There seems to be no logical answer. Why should one rebrand something that is doing fine? Brands have a complex value that takes decades to build. Bloomberg estimates the change from the blue-bird logo to a black 'X', may cost Elon Musk anything between $4 and $20 billion in brand value.

Rebranding not easy

For most of the internet community Musk dismantling Twitter is a thumbs-down. Most likened X.com to a porn app. The 'Daily Beast' quoted one user saying it reminded him of "an app for a membership-only human trafficking gentlemen's club headquartered in Budapest." And despite all the efforts to kill Twitter, it is alive and kicking. The 'Tweet' button and 'Search Twitter' icons are still live, and the 'bird-related paraphernalia' persistsonline.

Rebranding is a difficult exercise. Companies rebrand when the old logo and image is faltering and pulling down sales. An example of successful branding in recent months has been US food giant Dunkin' Donuts. The company decided to put out a more modern face and drop 'Donuts'. The assumption was Dunkin' had become synonymous with Donuts and therefore the latter was superfluous. The gamble paid off. The takeaway: the company kept 'Dunkin' for its strong recall.

On the other hand, British Petroleum (BP) rebranding in 2000 to portray a 'green-friendly' company did not work. Replacing its 'BP' logo after 70 years with a green sun – the symbol of Helios, the Greek God of the Sun – was aimed at pitching an environment-friendly mission; but the branding did not match reality. BP was later involved in a an oil spillin the Gulf of Mexica, the worst the world has ever seen.

There are also numerous successful brands that are stupidly killed causing great loss to the company. A looming case at home in that of 'Vistara' – a brand the Tata Group has developed as a luxe airline with high standards of service. After 8 years, the company now wants to kill the brand by merging Vistara with Air India.

There is also the case of Coca Cola trying to boost Coke by killing 'Thums Up' after it acquired the brand from Ramesh Chouhan of the Parle Group in 1993. Ironically, the demand for the unique flavour was so strong, Thums Up refused to die; and it continued to beat Coke in sales. One hopes Twitter will follow the Thums Up trajectory.

BoB net profit rises 88% to ₹4,070 cr on loan growth, better margins

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

BANK OF BARODA on Saturday reported an 87.7% jump in net profit year-on-year at ₹4,070 crore in the quarter ending June, driven by higher interest income from an above-industry level loan growth and better margins.

The bottom line was helped by lower provisions for bad loans as the asset quality improved vastly. Loan growth was led by the global book' something none of the other domestic lenders could book. The management of the second largest state-run lender said the profitability growth was supported by healthy operating income that grew 42.9% to ₹14,319 crore, of which key net interest income (NII) grew 24% to ₹10,997 crore.

EXPRESS READ

Punjab & Sind Bank net profit falls 25%

NEW DELHI: Public sector lender Punjab & Sind Bank on Saturday reported a 25% decrease in net profit to ₹153 crore for the quarter ending June 2023, partly on account of the provision of wage revision and fresh slippages. The lender had reported a net profit of ₹205 crore in the April-June quarter of 2022-23. The total income increased to ₹2,494 crore in the first quarter of 2023-24 against ₹1,915 crore a year ago, as per a regulatory filing. *ENS*

Sanjay Kumar Agarwal new Chairman of CBIC

NEW DELHI: The government on Saturday appointed Sanjay Kumar Agarwal, IRS, as new Chairman for the Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs (CBIC). He replaced Vivek Johri, who will become the ex-chairman of the CBIC from now on. Agarwal, IRS was appointed as the member of CBIC In 2022. The CBIC has also appointed Senior Indian Revenue Service officer Surjit Bhujabal as member investigation, Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs. *ENS*

Ahead of IPO plan, 2 top exec exit Ola Electric

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Chennai

AMID Ola's plan to issue an initial public offering (IPO), two senior executives -- Slokarth Dash, head of planning and strategy and Saurabh Sharda, head of partnership and corporate affairs -- have left the company. Ola confirmed the development on Saturday.

"Slokarth and Saurabh have delivered well for the company for seven plus years and we wish them well in their future pursuits," it said in a statement. Both worked at raid-hailing business before the electric division and are known to be close with the company's Chief Executive Bhavish Aggarwal.

"At Ola, we've built a world class and highly experienced leadership team and hired over 50 veterans just in last year from Indian and global firms like Tesla, Apple, LG, among others. India is the future hub for tech and top global talent is eagerly joining new age companies like ours. Ola is the largest EV company in India, thanks to the efforts of our world-class team," it said in response to the incident, quoting an unnamed spokesperson. This comes at a time when the start-up eyes IPO early next year. However, the company has denied news reports of two other senior executives leaving the team. Over 15 CXOs have left the firm in last three years. While some of them are attributed to company restructuring, the reason for others' exit are unknown. Ola's work culture and Co-founder and Chief Executive Bhavish Aggarwal's actions have been criticised in the past as toxic and hostile work environment.

Karnataka Bank announces Q1 net profit at ₹370.7 crore

In the Meeting of the Board of Directors held today at Bank's Head Quarters Mangaluru, the Board has approved the financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2023. It has posted a net profit of ₹370.70 crore, during Q1FY24 as against ₹114.18 crore recorded during the corresponding quarter of the previous financial year, i.e. Q1 FY 23, with an year-on-year growth rate of 224.66%. Srikrishnan H, managing director & CEO of the bank, said "Karnataka Bank, with our strong fundamentals, is rightly positioned to leverage the franchise strengths and poised for accelerated growth. Having made the right investments in technology, we will realign our processes and people to deliver in identified business areas, i.e. MSME, retail and agri." The operating profit stood at ₹601.17 crore and net interest income stood at ₹814.68 crore as at the quarter ended 30.06.2023.

Maha Metro MD Shravan Hardikar taking charge

The newly appointed Maha Metro MD Shravan Hardikar taking charge from his predecessor and Additional Chief Secretary (Finance), Government of Maharashtra Dr Nitin Karir at Mumbai on Friday.

DRDO Chairman lauds GRSE's initiatives on Autonomous Vessels in the Maritime Domain

Kolkata: Defence PSU Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers (GRSE) launched an Autonomous Underwater Vehicle (AUV) on Friday (July 28). In a pioneering move towards the development of AUVs, GRSE has collaborated with M/s Aerospace Engineering (AEPL). The AUV was named "Neerakshi" (meaning "Eyes in the Water") and launched by Dr Samir V Kamat, Secretary,Defence Research & Development (DR&D) and Chairman, Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO).

Business & Beyond

Goa Shipyard and Foundation for Science Innovation and Development, IISc Bengaluru collaborate for AI advancements

Vasco-da-Gama: Goa Shipyard and Foundation for Science Innovation and Development (FSID), Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru have officially inked a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to embark on a transformative journey in developing state-of-the-art Artificial Intelligence (AI) technologies for shipbuilding and defence sectors. This partnership aims to elevate productivity, safety, and defence preparedness while bolstering indigenous defence manufacturing capabilities. The alliance brings together expertise of Goa Shipyard, leader in shipbuilding and defence industry, and Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru.

Abhay Kumar Gupta takes charge as Senior Dy General Manager, South Eastern Railway

Abhay Kumar Gupta has taken over the charge of Senior Deputy General Manager, South Eastern Railway, Garden Reach, Kolkata on 31.07.2023. Prior to his new posting and taking over the charge, he was Divisional Railway Manager, South Central Railway, Secunderabad. Abhay Kumar Gupta, IRSE (Indian Railway Service of Engineers) of 1989 Batch joined Railways in the capacity of Assistant Divisional Engineer, Umaria, Bilaspur Division in erstwhile South Eastern Railway in 1993. Gupta has graduated in civil engineering from HBTI, Kanpur. Over three decades of service, he has held several important assignments on Indian Railways. Abhay Kumar Gupta has undergone training in prestigious Railway Institutes like National Academy of Indian Railways, Vadodara; Indian Railways Institute of Civil Engineering, Pune; Indian School of Business, Hyderabad; INSEAD/ Singapore and ICLIF/Malaysia.

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT DIVISION, VIJAYAPUR.

I.F.T.No:EE/PWD/VJP/PB/3054-SH MDR /2023-24/1694 Dated: 03.08.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (E-Procurement)

The- **Executive Engineer, Public Works Dept. Division,Vijayapur** Invites tenders from eligible tenderers (registered in Public Works Department) Total 22 works, 3 works are reserved for Schedule Caste (SC) Contractors. As per standard bid documents KW-3 & 4 with Different head of accounts costing of amount for Rs. 60.13 Lakhs to Rs. 110.36 Lakhs respectively, the EMD amount of Rs.1,20,300.00 to 2,00,000.00 for the works. As per Govt OrderFD:876:EXP-12:2017 Bangalore Dated: 10.10.2017 relaxation of EMD for SC/ST Contractors. For above work G.S.T amount will be paid to the Contractor separately and Increase in G.S.T shall not be paid in the extended period of Contract for which the contractor alone is responsible for delay as determined by the authority while granting the extension of time. The calendar events of tenders, dates are fixed as follows 1) The Pre-Bid Meeting for Contractors Date: 14.08.2023 @ 11.00 AM. 2) Last Date for Receipt of Tenders Date: 16.08.2023 upto 4.30 PM. 3) Opening of Technical Bid Date: 17.08.2023 at 4.31 PM. 4) Opening of Financial Bid Date: 21.08.2023 at 11.00 AM. Clause-3 Conditions of Standard Bid Document may be seen in Departmental Website i.e "eproc.karnataka.gov.in" and for more information may contact help desk Bangalore (Phone No. 918025501216 & 918025501227) or office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, PWD Division, Vijayapur

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POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule - 8 (1)] (For immovable Property)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized officer of **Union Bank of India, Asset Recovery Branch, Bangalore North** (under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a DEMAND NOTICE DATED: **20.12.2022** calling upon the Borrower : **1.Mr Raju Chandrashekar Reddy** S/o Mr Jaya Rami Reddy, No 209, 2nd Floor, Pragnya Apartment, Sy No 22/2 , Belathur Village, Hosakote -Whitefield Road, Behind Sathya Sai baba ashram, Opp Lane to HDFC Bank Kadugodi branch, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore -560067. **2. Mrs Sukrutha P N** W/o Mr Raju Chandrashekar Reddy, No 209, 2nd Floor, Pragnya Apartment, Sy No 22/2 , Belathur Village, Hosakote -Whitefield Road, Behind Sathya Sai baba Shram, Opp Lane to HDFC Bank Kadugodi branch, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore -560067 and to repay the amount mentioned in the said notices being **Rs. 34,03,088/ (Rupees Thirty-Four Lakh Three Thousand and Eighty-Eight Only)** and interest thereon. within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount in full, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on this day of **04.08.2023**

The borrower in particular and the public are general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **(Union Bank of India)** for an amount of **Rs. 34,03,088/ (Rupees Thirty-Four Lakh Three Thousand and Eighty-Eight Only)** together with contractual rate of interest & expenses thereon.

The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to the borrower to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Secured Assets : PROPERTY DESCRIPTION (SALE DEED NO.BDH-1-01513-2017-18. Dt.30.06.2017) : Residential FLAT No 209, 2nd FLOOR, PRAGNYA APARTMENT, admeasuring 1330 sq ft of super built up area at property bearing Sy No 22/2 , Belathur Village, off Hosakote -Whitefield Road, Behind Sathya Sai Baba Shram, Bidarahalli Hobli, BANGALORE 560067 and bounded by : East by :_Property of Munishamappa, West by : Property of Mr Avalappa, North by: Road, South by : Property of Mr Kenchappa.

Please take note that after the receipt of this Notice, you shall not transfer any of the secured assets referred to above by way of sale, lease or otherwise without our prior consent in writing in terms of Sec.13 (13) of the Act.

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India
Asset Recovery Branch, Bangalore

Date: 04.08.2023
Place: Bangalore

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Bank of Baroda

Brigade Road Branch, 41/2, Ground Floor, Vijaya Tower, M G Road, Trinity Circle, Bengaluru-560001

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8(1)] (For Immovable Properties)

Whereas, the under signed being the Authorised Officer of the **Bank of Baroda, Brigade Road Branch, Bengaluru,** under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act No. 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued demand notices dated calling upon the following Borrowers/Guarantors/ Mortgagers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice with further interest / cost etc,. **within 60 days** from the date of the said notice. Details of demand notices such as date of issue and loan outstanding amount are mentioned against each borrower under.

1. Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagers/Guarantors: 1) Sri. D. N. Doreswamy S/o. Sri. Nanjunda Gowda, and **2) Smt. Kamalakshi** W/o. D. N. Doreswamy Reddy, **Both Residing at**: H. No.2535, Gollahalli Main Road, Hebbagodi, Bommasandra Post, Bengaluru-560099, and **also at**: Khatha No. 146/6, Hebbagodi Grama, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District-560099

Demand notice dated : 04.05.2023 **Possession Notice Date : 03.08.2023**

Total amount mentioned in the notice: Rs.11,26,101.78 (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand One Hundred and One and Paisa Seventy Eight Only) as on **30.04.2023** inclusive of interest upto **30.04.2023** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Description of Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Khatha No. 146/6, situated at Hebbagodi Grama, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District, Bengaluru-560099, measuring 6 Guntas, alongwith the Building standing thereon and bounded on the: East by: Raja Kaluve, West by: Property of Same Number belonging to Chandrashekar Reddy, North by: Thimappa's Property, South by: Gopala Reddy's Property.

2. Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagers/Guarantors: 1) Mrs. Elijabeth Antony Raj W/o Mr.Antony Raj, and **2) Mr.Antony Raj** S/o Mr. Chinnappa, **Both Residing at** H. No.66/7/8, Near Church, Bannerghatta Road, Chikkamanahalli, Gottigere, Bengaluru-560083, **and also at** : Flat No. 315, 'A' Block, Third Floor, 'Pruthvi Royal' Apartments, Survey No.43, Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru-560076.

Demand notice dated :04.05.2023 **Possession Notice Date : 03.08.2023**

Total amount mentioned in the notice: Rs.26,46,113/- (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Forty Six Thousand One Hundred and Thirteen Only) as on **30.04.2023** inclusive of interest upto **30.04.2023** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Schedule Property: Residential Apartment bearing Flat No.315, in the 'A' Block, on the Third Floor, in the Residential Apartment building known as "PRUTHVI ROYAL", having Super Built Up Area measuring 807.66 Square Feet, the Residentially Converted land bearing Survey No.43, BBMP Khatha No.220/43, Conversion Order No. ALN (S.U) SR. 174/2010-11 dated 03.05.2011, situated at Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, under BBMP Ward No. 194, Bengaluru South Taluk, alongwith 208.15 Square Feet of undivided Share, right, title and interest alongwith One Covered Car Parking and the Apartment is bounded on the: East by: 'B' Block, West by: Corridor & Flat No.303, North by: Flat No.314, South by: Flat No.316.

3. Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagers/Guarantors 1) Mr. S. Prasanna Udaya Bhaskar Reddy S/o N. Srinivasa Reddy, and **2) Mrs. Roopa. S. P** W/o Mr. S. Prasanna Udaya Bhaskar Reddy, **Both Residing at** : Site No. 77, VP Khata No. 757/77-1185, 'ROYAL GARDENIA', Bommasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru-560099, and **also at** : No.765, 15th Main, 7th Cross, MICO Layout, BTM 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560076, and **also at** : No.383, 2nd Cross, 23rd Main, BTM 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560076.

Demand notice dated : 04.05.2023 **Possession Notice Date : 03.08.2023**

Total amount mentioned in the notice: Rs.1,40,64,517.02 (Rupees One Crore Forty Lakhs Sixty Four Thousand Five Hundred and Seventeen and Paisa Two Only) as on **30.04.2023** inclusive of interest upto **30.04.2023** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Schedule Property: All that piece and parcel of the Residential property Located at Site No.77, V.P. Khata No.757/77-1185, Building known as 'ROYAL GARDENIA', situated at Bommasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District, Bengaluru-560099, measuring East to West : 80 Feet, and North to South : 50 Feet, totally measuring 5,702.61 Square Feet, Site Area measuring 4,000 Square Feet, alongwith the Building standing thereon and bounded on the: East by: Road, West by: Site No.68, North by: Site No.76, South by: Site No.78.

The above Borrowers/Mortgagers/Guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagers and the public in general that the under signed has taken possession of the properties described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said act read with the rule 8 of the said Rules on above dates The Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of **Bank of Baroda, Brigade Road Branch, Bengaluru,** thereon cost.

The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 03.08.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Bank of Baroda**

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-Tender Notice
Tender No : 1st Re Etender No. WRD/KWA-CE(SR)/TR/798/2022_5_1_1/1

JJM-Kottayam District - Manimala -Construction of Sump cum booster station, 2LL OHSR , Providing distribution network and FHTCs EMD : Rs. 1,00,000/-, Tender fee : Rs. 8270+(1489)GST, Last Date for submitting Tender : 14-08-2023 03:00:pm, Phone : 0481 2562745

Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

KWA-JB-GL-6-955-2023-24 Superintending Engineer, PH Circle, Kottayam

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बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda
(A Government of India Undertaking)

Mayo Hall Branch
P. U. Building, M. G. Road, Bengaluru-560001

POSSESSION NOTICE

APPENDIX IV - Rule 8 (1) 13(4) (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Bank of Baroda, Mayo Hall Branch, Bengaluru,** under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **26.04.2023** calling upon the Borrowers /Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors/ Guarantors, **(1) Mr. Alexander. A.** S/o Late Mr. Anthony Ambrose, and **(2) Mrs. Anitha Alexander,** W/o Mr. Alexander. A., Both Residing at #6, 1st Floor, Venkatappa Garden, Viveknagar, Bengaluru-560047, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.45,72,350/-** (Rupees Forty Five Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty Only) as on **26.04.2023** inclusive of interest upto **29.12.2022** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described hereinbelow in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **03rd August 2023.**

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Bank of Baroda** for an amount **Rs.45,72,350/-** (Rupees Forty Five Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty Only) as on **26.04.2023** inclusive of interest upto **29.12.2022** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Schedule Property

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing old Site No.60/5, BBMP Khata No. 46, PID No.68-207-46, measuring East to West 30 Feet, North to South 27 Feet, total site area 810 Square Feet, situated at Yelamma Temple Road, Ejipura, Bengaluru (earlier Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk) now within BBMP Ward No.68, alongwith the Building standing thereon Comprising of Ground Floor measuring 450 Square Feet and First Floor measuring 450 Square Feet, thus in all 900 Square Feet and bounded on the: East by: Property of Padmanabha, West by: Property of Chikkannayappa, North by: Drain and remaining portion of property No.60/5, South by: Property belonging to Joseph.

Date : 03.08.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Bank of Baroda**

TATA

TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

Regd. Office: 11th Floor, Tower A, Peninsula Business Park, Ganapatrao Kadam Marg, Lower Parel, Mumbai – 400013. **CIN No. U67190MH2008PLC187552**
Branch Address: No 82/1, Ground Floor, Krishna Towers, Bengaluru 560025. Mob: 9900880727

POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY)

(As per rule 8(1) of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the TATA Capital Housing Finance Limited., under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(2) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated 27th December, 2021 calling upon the borrowers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower, having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower, in particular and the public, in general, that as per the order of Hon'ble 30th ACMM At Bangalore dated 21/02/2023, passed in Crl. Misc.No.773/2023, the Advocate Commissioner has taken Physical Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him and handed over the physical possession to the undersigned Authorised Officer of Tata Capital Housing Finance Limited on 3rd Aug 2023.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrower, in particular, and the public in general, is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Tata Capital Housing Finance Limited,** for an amount referred to below along with interest thereon and penal interest, charges, costs etc. from the date of demand notice.

Loan Account No.	Name of Obligor(s)/ Legal Heir(s)/ Legal Representative(s)	Amount & Date of Demand Notice	Date of Physical Possession
TCHHL049300 0100073127 & 10615388	**Mr. S Arun Kumar as Borrower and Mrs. Manjula A, (Co-borrower)**	**Due as on** 25th April, 2022 Rs.55,48,703/- (Rupees Fifty Five Lakh Forty Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Three Only)	**3rd Aug, 2023**

Description of Secured Assets/Immovable Properties ; Schedule "A" Property All that the piece and parcel pf immovable converted property bearing Sy No.36/2, BBMP Khatha No.1376/36/2, measuring 0-02-08 guntas and 0-13 guntas, totally measuring 0-15-08 guntas, (Duly converted vide official memorandum bearing No.ALN(SU) SR/17/2014-15 dated 10.10.2014 issued by the deputy Commissioner Bangalore District) situated at Puttenahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli Bangalore south Taluk, Bangalore and the property is bounded on the :- East By: Property bearing Sy No.36/3, West By: Remaining Portion of the Property bearing Sy No.36/2 ,North By : Remaining Portion of the Property bearing Sy No.36/2 and South By : Road. SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY450.66 Sq. Ft undivided interest in the immovable property mentioned in schedule "A" Property. SCHEDULE "C" PROPERTY Flat bearing No.09 in the ground Floor, measuring 1463 Sq. feet Super Built Up Area, containing three Bed Rooms, with vitrified flooring, together with one car Parking space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, contained in the multistrored building constricted on the "A" Schedule property know as "Vandana Celesta".

Date : 3rd Aug 2023 **For Tata Capital Housing Finance Limited**
Place : Bangalore **-Sd- Authorised Officer**

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಸಂಘ, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಅಭಿಯಾನ
ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರ್.ಸಿ.ಹೆಚ್ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿ,
ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿ ಆವರಣ,
ಮಂಡ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ : ಆಕುಕ: ಎನ್.ಹೆಚ್.ಎಂ/154/2023–24 ದಿ:03.08.2023

ದ್ವಿ-ಲಕೋಟೆ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಇ-ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ (ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ)

ವಿಷಯ :– ಮಂಡ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಅಭಿಯಾನ ಯೋಜನೆ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ 2023–24 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿಗೆ ವಿವಿಧ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮಗಳಿಗೆ ಚಾಲಕ ಸಹಿತ ಹಳದಿ ಬೋರ್ಡ್‌ನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿದ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಚಕ್ರದ ವಾಹನಗಳನ್ನು ಒಂದೇ ಐಜೆನ್ಸಿ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಹೊರ ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ.

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ :– ಹೊರಹುತ್ತಿಗೆ ವಾಹನ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಕಡತ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ : NHM/RCHO/Vehicle Tender/45/2023–24 ದಿನಾಂಕ : 24.05.2023 ರ ಅನುಮೋದನೆಯಂತೆ.

ಮಂಡ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಅಭಿಯಾನ ಯೋಜನೆ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಮತ್ತು ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಮಟ್ಟದ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುವ ಆರ್.ಬಿ.ಎಸ್.ಕೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮಗಳಿಗೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಮಟ್ಟಕ್ಕೆ 14 ಹಾಗೂ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಮಟ್ಟಕ್ಕೆ 06 ಚಾಲಕ ಸಹಿತ ಹಳದಿ ಬೋರ್ಡ್‌ನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿದ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಚಿಕ್ರದ ವಾಹನ ಸೇವೆಯನ್ನು ಒಂದೇ ಹೊರಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಲು ಕೆ.ಟಿ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ ಕಾಯ್ದೆ 1999ರ ನಿಯಮಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಪ್ರಕಾರ 2000ರ ಮೇರೆಗೆ ದ್ವಿ–ಲಕೋಟೆ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ **ರೂ.70,08,000**/– ಹಾಗೂ ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ಮೊತ್ತ **ರೂ.1,76,000**/– ಇರುತ್ತದೆ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ವಿಳಾಸ **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿ ಸೂಕ್ತ ದಾಖಲಾತಿಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದು. ಇ–ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ಷರತ್ತು ಮತ್ತು ನಿಬಂಧನೆಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರೆ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಗಮನಿಸಿ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವುದು. ವಿವರ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡಂತೆ ಇರುತ್ತದೆ.

(1) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ : **04.08.2023**. (2) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ : **ರೂ.70,08,000**/–. (3) ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ಮೊತ್ತ : **ರೂ.1,76,000**/–. (4) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭದ ದಿನಾಂಕ (Web Portal) : **04.08.2023 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ : 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಯಿಂದ.** (5) ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಫಾರಂಗಳ ಸಲ್ಲಿಕೆಗೆ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ : **11.08.2023 ಸಂಜೆ : 05.00 ಗಂಟೆಯಿಂದ.** ಸೂಚನೆ : ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಲಕೋಟೆಯನ್ನು ತೆರೆದ ನಂತರ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಲಕೋಟೆಯನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು

ಸಹಿ/–ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು, ಮಂಡ್ಯ

ಪಾಸಾಸಂಖ್ಯ/ಸನಿ–ಮಂ/ಕೆಎಸ್.ಎಂಸಿಎ/132/2023–24

NATIONAL HYDROLOGY PROJECT
STATE PROJECT MANAGEMENT UNIT (SPMU), ODISHA
HP Administrative Building, Unit-VIII, Delta Square, Bhubaneswar-751012, email: odishagwhp3@gmail.com
INVITATION FOR BIDS
IFB No: NHP/ODGW/CENSUS/2022-23/33R3
PP NO: NHP-2021-2022-OD-798675

A-408: The Chief Engineer & Director, Ground Water Development and Nodal Officer, NHP - Odisha, invites tender through e-Procurement platform online from eligible bidders for the work of: - "Census Survey of Ground Water Abstraction Structure In 6(Six) Nos. Of Semi-critical Blocks of Odisha Using Android Mobile Application Of NHP-Odisha For The Year 2022-23"

IFB documents are available online on www.tendersodisha.gov.in which is free of cost. Intending Consultants are advised to participate in the bidding process as per instructions given in bidding document.

Start date of availability of Bid document (for down-loading from e-Procurement portal)	07/08/2023 at 1100 hrs
Last Date of availability of Bid document (for download-ing from e-Procurement portal)	25/08/2023 at 1400 hrs
Start Date of e-Bid submission	08/08/2023 at 1100 hrs
Last date of e-Bid submission	25/08/2023 at 1400 hrs
Time & Date of opening of bids in the portal	25/08/2023 at 1500 hrs

Further Details can be seen from e-Procurement portal **https://tendersodisha.gov.in**

Sd/-
Joint Director (Geology) & Procurement Officer (GWD)
O/o Directorate of GWD, BBSR
OIPR-32407/11/0006/2324

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike

Office of the Executive Engineer, RI Yelahanka Division, 3rd Floor, Mini Vidhana Soudha, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064

No: EE/RI-YNK/TEND/02/2023-24 **Date: 05.08.2023**

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

TWO COVER SYSTEM (Through GoK e-Procurement Portal website: https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in only)

The Executive Engineer (RI-Yelahanka Division), BBMP, Bengaluru on behalf of the Chief Commissioner, BBMP invites competitive bids from reputed Firms / Companies / Agencies for the works detailed below.

Sl. No.	Package	Approximate Length in Km	EMD (in Rs.)
1	Annual Maintenance of Arterial and Sub-Arterial Roads including footpath Excluding Potholes in Yelahanka Constituency area of RI Yelahanka Division	20.86 Kms	50,000
2	Annual Maintenance of Arterial and Sub-Arterial Roads including footpath Excluding Potholes in Byatarayanapura Constituency area of RI Yelahanka Division.	31.28Kms	74,150

Calendar of Events: 1) Downloading of RFP Document from kppp portal : 08.08.2023 at 16.00 hrs. 2) Date of pre-bid meeting : 10.08.2023 at 15.00 hrs. 3) Last Date for Submission of Bid Document: 17.08.2023 at 16.00 hrs. 4) Opening of Technical Proposal : 19.08.2023 at 14.30 hrs. 5) Opening of Financial Proposal : Will be intimated to the bidders.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, RI-Yelahanka Division

इंडियन बैंक Indian Bank इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD

R T NAGAR BRANCH
No: 324/62, Sarvasheela Complex, Ballary Main Road, Ganganagar, R T Nagar, Bangalore-32

APPENDIX- IV-A" [SEE PROVISO TO RULE 8 (6)]

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical /constructive / Symbolic (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Indian Bank, R T Nagar Branch,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 23/08/2023,** for recovery of **Rs.27,53,338/-(Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Fifty Three Thousand Three Hundred and Thirty Eight only)** (as on 31/07/2023) due to the **Indian Bank, R T Nagar Branch,** Secured Creditor, from **M/s: Pruthvi Enterprise (Prop: Murali K S)** (Name and address of the borrower/guarantor).

The specific details of the property intended to be brought to sale through e-auction mode are enumerated below:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

Schedule-A : All that part and parcel of land and building situated at Residential Flat No. 400, Fourth Floor, BBMP Form B Sl No: 1575(Now 1575/400) measuring super built-up area 1042 sq ft (alongwith one covered car parking space), in fourth floor in apartment building known as D G Meadows built on Site No 14 & 15 situated at Haramavu Agara Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now comes under BBMP limits, Khatha No: 1575/400. East by: Site No.16, West by: 20 Ft. Road, North by: 25 Ft Road, South by: No: 24 & 25.

Encumbrances on property	**Indian Bank (e Allahabad Bank)**
Reserve Price	**21.20 Lakhs**
EMd Amount	**2.12 Lakhs**
Bid incremental amount	**10000/-**
Date and time of e-auction	**23/08/2023**
Property ID No.	**IDIB050355975685**

Bidders are advised to visit the website (www.mstcecommerce.com) of our e auction service provider MSTC Ltd to participate in online bid. For Technical Assistance Please call MSTC HELPDESK No. 033-22901004 and other help line numbers available in service providers help desk. For Registration status with MSTC Ltd, please contact **ibapiop@mstcecommerce.com** and for EMD status please contact **ibapifin@mstcecommerce.com.**

For property details and photograph of the property and auction terms and conditions please visit: **https://ibapi.in** and for clarifications related to this portal, please contact help line number '18001025026' and '011-41106131'.

Bidders are advised to use Property ID Number mentioned above while searching for the property in the website with **https://ibapi.in** and **www.mstcecommerce.com.**

Date: 02/08/2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer,**
Place: Bangalore **Indian Bank**

ORIX

ORIX LEASING & FINANCIAL SERVICES INDIA LIMITED

(formerly known as OAIS Auto Financial Services Limited)
(A Subsidiary of ORIX Auto Infrastructure Services Limited)
Regd. Office : Plot No. 94, Marol Co-operative Industrial Estate, Andheri-Kurla Road, Andheri (E), Mumbai - 400 059
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POSSESSION NOTICE [RULE 8(1) SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORECEMENT) RULES, 2002]

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorised officer of ORIX Leasing & Financial Services India Limited, under the Securitization And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002, and in exercise of powers conferred by section 13(12) of the said act read with rule 9 of THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002 issued a notice dated **17.05.2023** calling upon **VENKATARAMANAPPA, NEELAMMA & KIRAN KUMAR V** as borrower/ co-borrowers/ mortgagers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.25,48,516.41/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lac Forty Eight Thousand Five Hundred Sixteen and Forty One Paise Only)** within 60 days of the receipt of the said notice together with further interest and other charges from the date of demand notice till the date of payment/realization.

1.The borrowers and co-borrowers despite being served with the said notice and having failed to repay the entire notice amount together with further interest and other charges, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and public in general that the undersigned has taken symbolic possession of the property described here in under in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said act read with rule 9 of the said rules on **02-Aug-2023.**

2.The borrowers and co-borrowers in particular and public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealing in the property would be subject to the charge of notice of **Rs.25,48,516.41/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lac Forty Eight Thousand Five Hundred Sixteen and Forty One Paise Only)** together with further interest and other charges from the date of demand notice till the date of payment/ realization.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

All That Piece And Parcel Of Property Situated At Bangalore Urban District, Anekal Taluk, Jigani Hobli, Jigani Village Panchayath Kyalasanahalli Dakhale, Srirampura Village, Janjar No. 210, As Per E-khatha Pid No. 150200100700420047, V.P. Khatha No. 210/69, Property/site No. 69, Measuring 15 X 20 Feet Totally Measuring An Extent Of 300 Sq. Ft. A.C.C. House, 10 X 15 Feet Totally Measuring 150 Sq. Ft. A.C.C. House And 65 X 24 Feet Totally Measuring An Extent Of 1650 Sq. Ft. R. C. C. House And 3435 Sq. Ft. Of Vacant Site Totally 5445 Sq. Ft. Feet Of Land, Karnataka-560099, And Bounded As Follows: **East : Property Belongs To Mr. Nanjunda Reddy, West : Property Belongs To K.I.A.D.B., North : Panchayat Road, South : Rajapura Border And Plot No. 262-P, K.I.A.D.B , Property In The Mids Above Said Land With RCC Building**

Date: 02-Aug-2023
Place: BANGALORE **Sd/-**
Loan Account no: LN0000000011707 **Authorised Officer**
ORIX Leasing & Financial Services India Limited

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the General Public that **I Sri SREEDHAR CHOWDARY M.S.** Aged about 46 years S/o Late M.Siddaiah Naidu have entered into an Agreement of sale for purchase of below mentioned schedule property with its owner **Smt. A.MAHALAKSHMI.S ALSE** Aged about 59 years W/o Sri A.Srinivasa Alse Residing at No.77, Gurukrupa C.T. Bed 6th Cross BSK 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560070.

Any person/s, banks/financial Sectors / individual /authorities etc., having any claim/s, right, share or interest over the schedule property shall file his/her/their/its objections along with original documents with the undersigned within **07 DAYS** from the date of this publication.

Any objections on and after **07 days,** shall not be entertained and my clients shall proceed with the sale transaction presuming that there are no claim/s of anyone whatsoever over the same.

:: SCHEDULE PROPERTY ::

All that piece and parcel of the Vacant Immovable Property bearing **Site No.33,** Katha No.267, BBMP Present Katha No.98/267/33, formed in Converted Survey No.7/1A (converted vide Official Memorandum No.B.DS.ALN.SR(S) 264/1996-97, dated: 30-08-1996, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), situated at **GALAXY RESIDENCY, PILLAGANAHALLI VILLAGE, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore.** Presently within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore. Measuring: East to West: 60.0 Feet, North to South: 40.0 Feet, in all measuring: **2400.0 Square Feet.** And Bounded As Follows: -

**EAST BY : Road, WEST BY : Private Property, NORTH BY

SOUTH INDIAN Bank
CIN: L65191KL1929PLC001017

Regional Office: SIB Arcade, #61, Wheeler Road, Cox Town, Bangalore – 560 005. Tel./ Fax No: +91 80-25479091 / 92
E-mail: ro1010@sib.co.in.
Website: www.southindianbank.com

APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to rule 8 (6)]
Sale notice for sale of immovable properties

Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged /charged to The South Indian Bank Ltd, Branch Maruthi Seva Nagar, Bangalore (Secured Creditor), the Symbolic Possession of which was taken on 23.05.2023 by the Authorised Officer of The South Indian Bank Limited, Regional Office Bangalore (Secured Creditor), will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is" on **14.09.2023**, for recovery of an amount of **Rs.43,00,830.63** (Rupees Forty Three Lakh Eight Hundred Thirty and paisa sixty three only) as on 31.07.2023 with further interest and costs from 01.07.2023 and 16.07.2023 with respect to OD and Term Loan respectively due to The South Indian Bank Limited, Branch Maruthi Seva Nagar, Bangalore (Secured Creditor) from Mrs. Kanikanti Ramadevi, (Proprietrix of M/s. Vaasudeva Enterprises), No.3008, Ground Floor, Water Tank Road, Girinagar, 4th Phase, Banasankari III Stage, Bangalore Urban, Karnataka - 560085, (Also at, No.706, MIG-B, Surya Nagar, Phase-I, Chandapura, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560099) and Guarantor Mr. Kanikanti Babu Rao, residing at No.706, MIG-B, Surya Nagar, Phase-I, Chandapura, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560099.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

All that part and parcel of land admeasuring 108 Sq.mtrs along with residential building thereon bearing Municipal No. 875, Block B-2, LIG, Property Identification No. 150200100200223887, admeasuring 589 Sq.ft (approx) along with all other constructions, improvements, easementary rights existing and appurtenant thereon situated on the Site formed in Various Survey Numbers of Geddenahalli Village, Jigala Village, Yadavnahalli Village and Adhigongdanahalli Village in the layout called Suryanagar Phase-3 situated at KHB Colony, Suryanagar III Phase, Chandapura, Bangalore and owned by Mrs. Kanikanti Ramadevi, morefully described in Sale Deed No. 6420/2020-2021 dated 06-01-2021 of Sub Registrar Office – Attibele, Bangalore and bounded on North: By Site No.876/B-2 LIG, South: By Site No.874/B-2 LIG, East: By Road, West: By Site No.870/B-2 LIG.

Reserve Price	**Rs.46,02,000.00** (Rupees Forty Six Lakh and Two Thousand Only)
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**Rs.4,61,000.00** (Rupees Four Lakh Sixty One Thousand Only)
Date of Sale & Time	14.09.2023 at 12.30 P.M.
Date and time for submitting Tender along with EMD	14.09.2023 before 12.15 P.M.
Place of Sale	At The South Indian Bank Ltd., Regional Office, No.61, SIB Arcade, Wheeler Road, Cox Town, Bangalore – 560 005.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in South Indian Bank Ltd, (Secured Creditor) website i.e. **www. southindianbank.com**

Date : 31.07.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer (Chief Manager)**
Place : Bangalore **The South Indian Bank Ltd.**

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central, Processing Centre (RACPC) – I,
No. 13/1, Bull Temple Road, Opp. Sri Rama Krishna Ashram, Basavanagudi, Bangalore -560 004, Tel: 080 -25943145/46/3668, Fax: 080 - 25943367, Email: mgrracpc.zoban@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) of the security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (For Immovable Property)

A/C No. 35600862190/35602388444/SVR/6767/HL/807

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India,** under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Internet (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a **Demand Notice dated 05.12.2022** U/s 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower/Mortgager/Guarantor **1.Mr. Raman M** S/o Mr. Muthulingam, **2. Mr. Perumal M,** S/o Mr. Muthulingam, **3. Mr. Venkateshan M,** S/o Mr. Muthulingam **All are residing at:** No.16/3, 16, 2nd Floor, House No. 10, 5th Main, 9th Cross, Devarachikkanahalli Bangalore 560076 **And Also at:** BDA Site No. 863, Further Extension of Anjanapura Layout, 10th Block, Bangalore 560108, **Mr. Perumal M** S/o Mr. Muthulingam **and Mr. Venkateshan M** S/o Mr. Muthulingam **Both are Office at:** Amazon Distributors Pvt. Ltd No. 32/5, 3rd Floor, Roopendra Agrahara, Bommanahalli Post, Hosur Main Road, Bangalore 560068. To repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being **Rs. 26,12,980/-** (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Twelve Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty Only) as on 01.12.2022 with future interest & expenses thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower(s)/Mortgagers/Guarantors having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is hereby given to the Borrower(s)/Mortgagers, as well as the Public in General that, the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below, in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this **02-08-2023**.

The Borrower(s)/Mortgagers/Guarantors in particular, and the Public in General is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property(s), and any dealings with the property(s), will be subject to the charge of **State Bank of India, RACPC-I, Basavangudi, Bangalore.** For an amount of **Rs.26,12,980/-** (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Twelve Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty Only) as on 01.12.2022 and further interest and expenses thereon.

The Borrower/ Mortgagers/Guarantor's attention is invited to proviso of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of the time available to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY SCHEDULE

All that part and parcel of the property bearing BDA Site No. 863, situated at Further Extension of Anjanapura Layout, 10th Block, Bangalore 560108 measuring East to West 9 meters, North to South 6 meters totally measuring 54 Sq.mtrs bounded on: East by:Road, West by: Site No. 856, North by: Site No. 864, South by: Site No. 862

Place : Bengaluru
Date: 02.08.2023

Sd/-
Chief Manager & Authorised Officer

RAIL COACH FACTORY, KAPURTHALA

On-line Tenders are invited by PCMM/RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

Sr. No.	Tender No. & Due Date	Description	Qty. (Nos./Sets)	EMD (₹)
1.	14231126 01/09/2023	Sound Damping/ Insulation Paint	1084 Nos.	20,00,000/-
2.	14231151 01/09/2023	Adhesive for LHB Coaches	95295 Ltrs	19,56,690/-
3.	12231285 06/09/2023	Flat ceiling arrangement for Standees and Lavatory area for MEMU Coaches	127 Set	56,570/-
4.	01231181 06/09/2023	Centering Disc.	14300 Nos.	2,36,240/-
5.	01231185 20/09/2023	Safety Wire Rope Assly.	17227 Nos.	1,17,900/-
6.	01231191 04/09/2023	Pin Bracket	6100 Nos.	3,01,880/-
7.	05231238 11/09/2023	Set of End Wall Assembly End Wall Assembly	68 Set 124 Nos.	6,32,480/-
8.	05231172 28/08/2023	Aar 'H' Type Tight Lock CBC Coupler	201 Set	11,24,800/-
9.	05231301 15/09/2023	Roof Flange	1555 + 1528 Nos.	1,07,870/-
10.	05231239 04/09/2023	Under Frame Complete	100 Set	20,00,000/-
11.	05231237 05/09/2023	Set of Roof & Side Wall Complete	100 Set	20,00,000/-
12.	05231228 31/08/2023	End Wall Assembly	1800 Nos.	20,00,000/-
13.	05231164A 01/09/2023	End Wall Assembly	830 Nos.	16,55,190/-
14.	05231288 28/08/2023	Set of door way partition +1	242 Sets	6,39,770/-
15.	05231233 04/09/2023	Integrated WTCC	1090 Nos.	17,74,960/-

1. For details and making On-line tenders, visit Website **http://ireps.gov.in.** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in.** Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at **http://www.cce.gov.in.** 2. Tenders will close at 14.25 Hrs. on due date and will be opened at 14.30 Hrs. Tenders Sr. No. 1 to 3 will be opened at RCF Kapurthala and Sr. No. 4 to 15 will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi. 3. For queries, contact IREPS Helpdesk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF helpdesk at 011-23378658.

Note: GST Number of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them.

PCMM

CORRIGENDUM

The following amendment is authorized against Tender No. **(1) 14221101C** due on 18.08.2023 regarding Eligibility Criteria, **Eligibility Criteria has been revised.**

PCMM

T. No.: G-RCF/122/Store/68/2023-24 **Dated: 05.08.2023**

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया Bank of India BOI

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E - AUCTION SALE NOTICE

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX-IV-A [See proviso to Rule 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable properties Mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of **Bank of India,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** for recovery of below mentioned amount/s. The details of Borrower/s/ Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date, Time & EMD amount are mentioned below.

Sl No	NAME & ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S / GUARANTOR/S/ MORTGAGOR (S)	DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY WITH KNOWN ENCUMBERANCES	BRANCH NAME; ACCOUNT NO; TOTAL DUES	DATE & TIME OF E-AUCTION	RESERVE PRICE; EMD AMOUNT;	STATUS OF POSSESSION (SYMBOLIC/ PHYSICAL)	PROPERTY INSPECTION DATE
1	**M/s. Sri Annapurna Catering,** No.4,27/1, Yarandahalli Hennagara Post, Kiadb 4th Phase, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore-562106. **(Partners & Guarantors) 1. Mr. Chandrashekar Shetty** S/o Mahabal Shetty No.4,27/1, Yarandahalli Hennagara Post, Kiadb 4th Phase, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore-562106. **2.Mr. Kariyappa K M** S/o Manjappa, No.57, 1st Floor, 3rd Main, Nagarbhavi, Hanumagiri Layout, Bangalore-560072. **3.Mr. Pradeep R** S/o Rangappa, No.57, 1st Floor, 3rd Main, Nagarbhavi, Hanumagiri Layout, Bangalore-560072.	**SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of the Residentially converted land bearing survey no.31/2 situated at Nimbekayipura Village, Bidrahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk (earlier Hoskote Taluk), Bangalore District measuring 01 Acre 35 Guntas out of 05 Acres 13 Guntas excluding 07 Guntas of Kharab land (conversion of agricultural to non-agricultural residential purposes sanctioned by the Special Deputy Commissioner vide Official memorandum dated 21.01.2011, No. ALN.SR(EBK)49/2010-11) and bounded as follows:East by : Land bearing Survey No.31/1, West by : Road, North by : Remaining portion of Survey No.31/2, South by : Land bearing Survey Nos.28,29 and 30. **SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of the Residential immovable property being a Residential Villa / Row House bearing E-Khata No.119/129/115/125/31/2/1, RDPR No.150200401601400114 [Unit no.01,4 BHK] situated at Nimbekayipura village, Manduru Gram Panchayat, Bidrahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore District, Bangalore – 560 049 in the Residential Project comprising of Row Houses known as "SAMRUDHI MYSTIC WIND" with 926.0793 square feet of plinth area, with 597.4397 square feet of exclusive right to use the garden area and 450.2533 square feet of proportionate undivided land area (common areas) together with the building thereon, comprising of ground and two upper floors of super built-up area of 2900 square feet (inclusive of common wall between two residential units as may be applicable and proportionate share in super built up area of the club house facility with exclusive use of garden area) comprised in residentially converted land bearing Sy.No.31/2 measuring 01 Acre 35 guntas out of 05 Acres 13 guntas excluding 07 Guntas of Kharab land at Nimbekayipura village, Bidrahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk(earlier Hoskote Taluk), Bangalore District Bangalore – 560049 presently within the revenue administrative jurisdiction of the Manduru Grama Panchayat and land area of the row house owned by M/s Annapurna Catering, a partnership Firm represented by it's partners Mr. Chandrashekar Shetty, Mr. Pradeepa R and Mr. Kariyappa K M measuring as below:- East to West : 7.62 meters, North to South : 17.46 meters, Total land area : 135.02 square meters, Building measuring : 269.41 square meters. And bounded as follows: East by : Plot / Unit No.02, West by : Compound wall / road, North by : Compound wall, South by : Drive way.	**BRANCH : KOTHANUR** A/C No: 845875110000006 for recovery of Rs.1,88,20,820.10 +interest @ 7.55% p.a. from 01.04.2021 and A/C No. 845860210000004 for recovery of Rs. 10,22,180.44 +interest @ 8.15% p.a. with monthly rests from 01-04-2021 and costs, charges due to BANK OF INDIA,	25.08.2023 & 11.00 Am to 05.00 Pm	Reserve price: Rs.1,16,00,000/- EMD: Rs.11,60,000/-	Physical	From 07.08.2023 to 24.08.2023 between 10.00 Am to 4.00 Pm Contact:AO Mobile. No.0810 7771036 080-28443088/ 99
2.	**M/s SJM INFOTECH PVT LTD,** No. 198 & 199, Ullai Main Road, Annapumeshwari Layout, Bangalore 560079. **1. Mr.Manjunath T K (Director), 2. Mrs. Pavithra A S (Director),** Both are residing @ No. 2,3rd Cross, Society Colony, New MICO Road, Adugodi, Bangalore 560030. **Second Address:** No. 750, 4th Cross Road, Near RTO Office, Upkar Residency, Upkar Layout, Kengeri, Bangalore 560091. **Mrs. Chandramma (Guarantor)** W/o. Kamala Kondappa T V **Residing at:** 750,4th Cross Road, Near RTO Office, Upkar Residency, Upkar Layout, Kengri, Bangalore 560091. **Second Address:** No. 195, Kai Thota Road, Near Karimariyamma Temple, Immadihalli, Whitefield, Bangalore North, Bengaluru 560066.	All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property (Land & Building) bearing No.50/2, Khata No.398, BBMP Khata No. 670/598/50/2-398, situated at Rudrappa Layout, Hagadur Dhakale, Immadahalli Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore-560087. Measuring East to West 70 Feet and North to South (30+40)/2 Feet, admeasuring 2450 Sq.Ft., owned by Mrs. Chandramma. The Boundaries of the Property: East by : Property of Dooda Thammaiah, West by : Road, North by : Property of D.R. Gurubasanna, South by : Immadahalli Garden Road.	**BRANCH: KORAMANGALA** A/c No. 847970410000033 and A/c No. 847930110000021 for recovery of Rs.97,67,877.49 (Rupees Ninety Seven Lakhs Sixty Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and Paise forty Nine) for A/c No. 847970410000033 - outstanding as on 03.09.2022 with further interest thereon @1.25% over RBLR presently 10.00%p.a. and Rs.28,29,999.07 (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakhs Twenty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Nine and Paise Seven) for A/c No.847930110000021 - outstanding as on 03.09.2022 with further interest thereon @ 2.00 % over RBLR presently 10.75%p.a. from 03.09.2022, Totaling to Rs.1,25,97,876.56 compounded with monthly rests and all costs, charges due to BANK OF INDIA, Koramangala Branch from M/s. SJM Infotech Pvt Ltd and its directors/guarantors 1. Mrs. Pavithra Adugodi Shankarappa (Director), 2. Mr. Manjunath T K (Director), 3. Mrs. Chandramma (Guarantor).	25.08.2023 & 11.00 Am to 05.00 Pm	Reserve price: Rs.1,66,00,000/- EMD: Rs.16,60,000/-	Symbolic	From 07.08.2023 to 24.08.2023 between 10.00 Am to 4.00 Pm Contact: AO-082258 30606

To the best knowledge and information available with the Authorized Officer, there is no encumbrance on the properties referred above. However, the intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of the property and to inspect & satisfy them. The auction will be online E-Auction Sale/Bidding and shall be done only through "Online Electronic Bidding" process through the website **https://www.boi.auctiontiger.net.** For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://www.bankofindia.co.in/tenders. Date & Time of E-auction: 25.08.2023 between 11.00 AM & 5.00 PM** (with unlimited extension of 10 minutes if bidding continues till sale is concluded).

Date: 05.08.2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer, Bank of India**

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E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

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SR/ LOT NO.	NAME & ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S/GUARANTOR/S	GIVE SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY WITH KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES, IF ANY	TOTAL DUES	DATE & TIME OF E-AUCTION	RESERVE PRICE, EMD AND BID INCREASE AMOUNT	STATUS OF POSSESSION (CONSTRUCTIVE/ PHYSICAL)	PROPERTY INSPECTION DATE & TIME
1.	**(A) Mr. Chainrup Singhi** S/o Mr. Tilok Chand Singhi **and Mrs. Meeta Singhi** W/o Mr. Chainrup Singhi, Both are Residing at Residing at Flat No. E-708, E Block, 7th Floor, Golden Magic Block, Brigade Gardenia Apartments, Sy No 112 to 114, Kothanur, Uttarahalli Hobli, J P Nagar, 7th Phase, Bangalore-560078. **(B) M/s Maple India,** No 1091, SRNG Complex, OTC Road, Nagarathpet, Opp Shardha Talkies, S P Road Cross, Bangalore-560002, **Proprietor Mr. Chainrup Singhi** S/o Mr. Tilok Chand Singhi Residing at Flat No E-708, E Block, 7th Floor, Golden Magic Block, Brigade Gardenia Apartments, Sy No 112 to 114, Kothanur, Uttarahalli Hobli, J P Nagar, 7th Phase, Bangalore-560078, **Mrs. Meeta Singhi** W/o Mr. Chainrup Singhi, Residing at Flat No. E-708, E Block, 7th Floor, Golden Magic Block, Brigade Gardenia Apartments, Sy No 112 to 114, Kothanur, Uttarahalli Hobli , J P Nagar, 7th Phase, Bangalore-560078 **(Guarantor) (C) M/s Yuvaa,** No. 898, 10th A Cross , Opp Big Bazaar, J P Nagar ,VII Phase, Uttarhalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluku, Bangalore-560078, **Reps by its proprietor Meeta Singhi** W/o Mr. Chainrup Singhi Residing at Flat No E-708, E Block, 7th Floor, Golden Magic Block, Brigade Gardenia Apartments, Sy No 112 to 114, Kothanur, Uttarahalli Hobli, J P Nagar, 7th Phase, Bangalore-560078, **Chainrup Singhi** S/o Mr. Tilok Chand Singhi Residing at Flat No E-708, E Block, 7th Floor, Golden Magic Block, Brigade Gardenia Apartments, Sy No 112 to 114, Kothanur, Uttarahalli Hobli, J P Nagar, 7th Phase, Banaglore-560078 **(Guarantor)**	**Schedule 'A' Property:** All that property measuring Six acres twenty six guntas in Sy No 112, Three Acres Twenty Eight Guntas in Sy No 113 and Five Acres Twenty One Guntas in Sy No 114 in Kothanur Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk totally measuring Fifteen Acres Thirty Five Guntas and converted for non-agricultural residential purposes by order of the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore vide his order bearing No.B.DIS.ALN.SR (S) 144/98-99, dated 20/04/1999 and bearing Village Panchayath Khata No 2141 and entire property is bounded by: East: RBI Residential Layout, West: Private Property, North: RBI Residential Layout and Private Property, South: Chunchaghatta Road. **Schedule 'G' Property :** 70/15862th Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest, and ownership in Schedule F Property which comes to 356.22 Sq Feet of land share in Schedule F Property. **Schedule 'H' Property:** All that residential Apartment bearing No E-708 in Seventh Floor of 'Golden Magic' block built in Schedule F Property and measuring 1120 Sq Feet of built up area and 280 Sq Feet of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use and totally measuring 1400 Sq Feet of super Built Up area approximately with all exclusive right of usage of one Top Covered Car Parking space in the Ground Floor and the Apartment is bounded by: East: Open Space in the block ' Golden Magic', West: Apartment No E-707 in the Block 'Golden Magic', North: Open space in the Block 'Golden Magic' and South: Corridor Towards Apartment No E-705 in the block 'Golden Magic'.	**Rs. 4,27,95,357.33 (Rupees Four Crore Twenty Seven Lakhs Ninety Five Thousand Three hundred Fifty Seven and paisa Thirty Three only) as on 31.07.2023 and Further Interest from 01.08.2023 & Other charges**	**23.08.2023 between 02:00 PM to 06.00 PM**	RESERVE PRICE: : Rs 86,00,000/- EMD AMOUNT: Rs. 8,60,000/- BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs. 50,000/-	PHYSICAL POSSESSION	WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER
2	**1. Sri Kunduru Malyadri** S/o Gangi Reddy, Flat No.102, SLV Defence, Lavender, 12th Cross, 12th Main Road, Kogilu, Yelahanka, Bangalore-560064. **Also at** : Plot No 205, Gandhi Nagar-2, Kamakshi Apartment, Bucchireddypalem, Potti Sriramulu Nellore, Andhra Pradesh - 524305.	North facing **Apartment No 201** on the Second Floor of 'K' Wing, "Block IV" of the residential apartment complex known as **"SIPANI ROYAL HERITAGE PHASE-II"** constructed on the Sy No 78/2, 78/3, of Iggalur Village and Sy No 308 and Part of Sy No 309 and Site No 7 of Sy No 308/2 coming in Marasur Village, Marasur Post, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, having 72.49 Square Meters or carpet Area of 780 Square Feet and 108.27 Square Meters of super built up area or 1165 Square Feet consisting of 2 Bed Rooms, Hall, Kitchen, Balconies, and Toilet along with proportionate 34.82 Square Meters (374.73 Square Feet) of undivided share, right, title and interest in the land comprised in Schedule A Property along with One Covered Car Parking Space in Basement/Ground Level and proportionate interest in the common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other common facilities bearing Khata PID No 150200101800422715 and bounded on; East by: Open To Sky, West by: "L" Block, North by: Entrance, South by: Open To Sky.	**Rs. 67,32,000.11** (Rupees Sixty Seven Lakhs Thirty Two Thousand and Eleven Paisa Only) **Upto 31.07.2023** and Interest from **01.08.2023** and Other Charges	**23.08.2023 between 02.00 PM to 06.00 PM**	RESERVE PRICE: Rs..41,50,000/- EMD AMOUNT: Rs. 4,15,000/- BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs. 25,000/-	PHYSICAL POSSESSION	WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER
3	**1) M/s. Dr. Shetty's Medical & Aesthetic Solutions Pvt Ltd.,** "Prestige Delta", 1st Floor, No.74, St. Marks Road, Residency Road, Bangalore-560001 **2) Guarantors: Mr. Kamalakar Shetty,** No.1A, Nitesh Mayfair, 31/1, Kasturba Road Cross, Near British library, Lavelle Road, Bangalore-560001. **Also at:** C-6, 1st Floor, Devatha Plaza, Residency Road, Bangalore-560025. **3) Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Shetty** No.1A, Nitesh Mayfair, 31/1, Kasturba Road Cross, Near British library, Lavelle Road, Bangalore-560001. **Also at:** C-6, 1st Floor, Devatha Plaza, Residency Road, Bangalore-560025. **4) Mr. Aditya Shetty** No.1A, Nitesh Mayfair, 31/1, Kasturba Road Cross, Near British library, Lavelle Road, Bangalore. **Also at:** C-6, 1st Floor, Devatha Plaza, Residency Road, Bangalore-560025.	All that piece and parcel of the Property MDTD of Immovable Residential; Property bearing Site No. F-52, In "EAGLETON-THE GOLF VILLAGE", and bearing Katha No.426/F-52 Situated in various Survey Numbers of Billakempanahalli, Shyanmangala and Banandur Village, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Tauk. Measuring East to West 45 feet and North to South 60 feet, totally measuring area 2700 Sq feet. Property belonging to Dr. K Kamalakar Shetty, And Bounded by:- On the East by: Road, West by: Site No.F-61, North by: C.A Park, South by: Site No.F-51	**Rs.77,64,712.30/- Seventy Seven Lakh Sixty Four Thousand Seven Hundred Twelve and Paisa Thirty only as on 31.07.2023 and further interest from 01.08.2023 and charges.**	**23.08.2023 From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM.**	RESERVE PRICE: Rs.54,00,000/- EMD AMOUNT: Rs.5,40,000/- BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs.50,000/-	PHYSICAL POSSESSION	WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER
4	**1. Mr. Vijay Kumar K G** S/o K N Gangadhar, No. 141, 2nd Floor, 9th Cross, 2nd Main, 1st Block, BEL Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore-560097. **2. Mrs. Swapna** W/o Vijay Kumar K G, No. 141, 2nd Floor, 9th Cross, 2nd Main, 1st Block, BEL Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore-560097. **3. Mr. Prashanth M S** S/o Mr. Srinivas Mahadikar, Ground Floor, Block 1, No. 09, Prestige Blue Chip, Hosur Road, Bangalore – 560029. **4. Mr. Vishal Raj** S/o Devarajan, Flat No. 19, Sri Dev Residency, 4th Cross, Chowdaiah Block, R T Nagar, Near Siddartha Public School, Bangalore - 560032.	**Schedule A:** Property bearing No. 02, Assessment No. 84/1, Khatha No. 1785, Municipal No. 54, Present Bangalore Mahanagara Palike vide BMP PID No. 96-49-54, Manjunatha Layout Main Road, situated at Cholanayakanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk. Measuring East to West 72 Feet and North to South 40 Feet and bounded on East by: Private Property, West by: 25 Feet Road, North by: Property No. 3-4&5, South by: Property No. 01. **Schedule B:** All the part and parcel Mortgage of property No. Flat No. T-2, 3 BHK, 3rd Floor in apartment 'Raghavendra Gate Way', PID No. 96-49-54/9, measuring 1590 Sq. Ft with an undivided share of 360 Sq. Ft of right, title and interest in the Schedule 'A' property with one covered car parking space in the basement, situated at Cholanayakanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Manjunatha Layout Main Road, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore.	**Rs.54,11,588.03 (Fifty Four Lakh Eleven Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Eight and Three Paisa Only) As on-31.07.2023 plus interest from 01.08.2023 and other charges**	**23.08.2023 & From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM**	RESERVE PRICE: Rs. 47,40,000/- EMD AMOUNT: Rs.4,74,000/- BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs.25,000/-	PHYSICAL POSSESSION	WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm and https://ibapi.in. Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on Mobile No's. +91-9901423265 & +91-7897366366.

Date: 04.08.2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer, Bank of Baroda**

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TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-Procurement Portal only)

Tender for the following work is invited (two cover system) through e-Procurement portal (https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in) from the eligible Agency / contractors who satisfy the Technical & Financial eligibility criteria. **This office Tender Notification No: 793 Dated: 04-08-2023.** Supply, Installation & commissioning of pressure filters for 9 nos of village tappings under providing Water Supply Scheme to Honnavar town and enroute villages with Sharavathi River as source **(lumpsum Contract) INDENT:KUWSDB/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT13/CALL-2** For further information visit e-procurement portal or the Office of the Chief Engineer, K.U.W.S & D. Board, Dharwad may be contacted.

Sd/- CHIEF ENGINEER,
KUWS & D BOARD, DHARWAD.

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TENDER NOTICE

Sealed Tenders are invited for the sale of following used machines & vehicles.

1) 4 Axis Vertical Milling & Boring Machine
2) EDM Electro Discharge Machine
3) Horizontal Milling Centre
4) Tempo Traveller Mini bus
5) Tata Indigo LX

Last date of receipt of tender 19/08/2023.
For details refer website **www.batl.co.in**

SD/-, Manager (CMM)

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No. 724 Date: 05.08.2023

"e" Tender corrigendum Notice-04

Due to technical error in BOQ, corrected BOQ along with tender document against invited e-NIT No. 01/UJVNL/ DGM(CD-II)/ Lakhwar /2023-24 for Engagement of Project Management Consultant for Lakhwar MPP (300 MW) on River Yamuna in District Dehradun, Uttarakhand has been uploaded on the e-procurement portal. For fuller & further details, kindly visit e-procurement portal **"https://uktenders.gov.in"** DGM(CD-II),CD&H Pashulok, Rishikesh

"Avoid wasteful use of Electricity"

TRAVANCORE DEVASWOM BOARD

Devaswom Commissioner Office
Nanthancode, Thiruvananthapuram - 695 003

ROC No.14324/23/NS2 **NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER** 05.08.2023

Tenders are invited for the printing and supply of Diary 2024. Last date for online submission: 21/08/2023 at 10.00 am. Opening of bid:22/08/2023 at 11.00 am. Detailed e-tender notifications and special instructions to the bidders are available on **www.travancoredevaswomboard.org**. For the submission of tender visit the website **www.etenders.kerala.gov.in**

Thiruvananthapuram
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Sd/-, Devaswom Commissioner
On behalf of the Travancore Devaswom Board

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

Tender Notice No. ECN-16-2023-RT

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-Tenders for the following work.

Name of the Work	Approx. Value
I) Modification / Shifting of utilities (HT/LT/Transformer) for ROB in lieu of LC 72 at Mulvad, RUB in lieu of LC 299 and LC 300 at Dharwad and shifting of utilities (HT/LT/Transformer) and 11 KV substation for ROB in lieu of LC 85 at Hosapete (Schedule A and B). II) Lighting arrangement of ROB in lieu of LC 72 at Mulvad Yard and ROB in lieu of LC 85 at Hosapete (Schedule C).	Rs. 1,82,23,988/-

Last date for submission of bids:
Upto 11:00 Hrs. on 24-08-2023

For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in

Deputy Chief Electrical Engineer / Construction
Bengaluru Cantonment

PUB/283/AAS/PRB/SWR/2023-24

S.W.Railways SWRRLY SWRRLY

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Stressed Assets Management Branch, Bengaluru

2nd Floor, Office Complex Building LHO Campus, #65, St. Mark's Road,
Bangalore -560001, Ph: 080 – 25943474/84/71 Fax: 080 - 22225203
EMAIL ID: sbi.04209@sbi.co.in,

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE REGARDING POSSESSION OF PROPERTY U/S 13(4) OF SARFAESI ACT 2002

Notice is hereby given under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, a demand notice was issued on the date stated hereinafter calling upon the Borrower/Guarantors to repay the amount within 60 days from the date of receipt of said notice.

The Borrower/Guarantor(s) having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower/ Guarantor(s)/Mortgagor(s) and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of power conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 9 of the said Rules on the date stated hereinafter.

The Borrower/Guarantor(s)/Mortgagor(s) in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the STATE BANK OF INDIA for an amount and interest thereon.

The Borrower's/Guarantor's/Mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section(8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Name of Account/ Borrower & address	**Borrower & Mortgagor:** **M/s G M Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.,** GM Pearl, No.6, BTM Layout, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, Bengaluru - 560068
Name of Proprietor/ Partners/Guarantors/ Owner of property etc.	**Personal Guarantors:(1) Shri Gulam Mustafa, Director,** S/o Shri Gulam Rasul, No.L-66, 3rd Main, 15th Cross, 6th Sector, HSR Layout, Bengaluru – 560102 **Also at:** No.6, G M Pearl, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, BTM Layout, Bengaluru – 560068 **(2) Shri Jawid Hussain**, S/o Shri Gulam Rasul, No.1-1, 4th Cross, Link Road, Madiwala, Extension, Bengaluru – 560068 **Also at:** No.6, G M Pearl, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, BTM Layout, Bengaluru – 560068 **Corporate Guarantor:M/s Gulam Mustafa Enterprises Pvt. Ltd.,** No.6, G M Pearl, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, BTM Layout, Bengaluru – 560068 **Corporate Guarantor and Mortgagor:M/s Patel Engineering Limited.,** Patel Estate Road, Jogeshwari(W), Mumbai – 400102.
Description of the property mortgaged/ charged	**SCHEDULE – 'A' PROPERTY: Part -I:** All that piece and parcel of the property being land bearing Sy. No.352 (Old Sy. No.155/11), measuring 2 Acre 21 Guntas at Hulimangala Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru, converted for residential purpose vide Official Memorandum No. BDS/ALN/(AJ)SR 183/2007-08 dated 15.10.2008 by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru with project "**TOWNSVILLE**" being constructed there on as per sanction plan number 17988/ 2011/12 issued by the development officer and executive engineer, KIADB Bengaluru and standing in the name of M/s Patel Realty (India) Ltd (**Now, on amalgamation M/s Patel Engineering Ltd)** vide Sale Deed 09.6.2011 registered as Document No. JGN-1-01217/2011-12 and stored in CD No. JGND157 on 09.6.2011 at SRO, Jigani, Banneraghatta, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District and the property bounded on: East by: Land bearing Sy. No.155/9 belonging to Mr. Rupen Patel, West by: Remaining portion of land in the same Sy. No.352, North by: Maragondanahalli Village boundary and South by: Land baring Sy. Nos.155/7, 155/ 6 and 155. **Part -II:** All that piece and parcel of the property being land bearing Sy. No.352 (Old Sy. No.155/11), measuring 2 Acre 17 Guntas at Hulimangala Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru, converted for residential purpose vide Official Memorandum No. ALN/(A) (J)/SR 2/2009-10 dated 15.06.2009 by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru with project **"TOWNSVILLE"** being constructed there on as per sanction plan number 17988/2011/12 issued by the development officer and executive engineer, KIADB Bengaluru and standing in the name of M/s Patel Realty (India) Ltd vide Sale Deed 09.6.2011 registered as Document No. JGN-1-01217/2011-12 and stored in CD No. JGND157 on 09.6.2011 at SRO, Jigani, Banneraghatta, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District(**Now, on amalgamation M/s Patel Engineering Ltd)** and the property bounded on: East by: Remaining portion of land in the same Sy. No.352, West by: Remaining portion of land in the same Sy. No.352, North by: Maragondanahalli Village Boundary and South by: Land bearing Sy. No.155. **SCHEDULE – 'B' PROPERTY :** All that piece and parcel of **61 residential Villaments** in the Project named **"Townsville" being constructed on the above mentioned Schedule "A" properties** falling in the **share of the developer**, bearing numbers as given bellow along with super built area, undivided right title and interest in Schedule – 'A' Property- both Part -I and Part -II. **Vide Joint Development Agreement dated 21.11.2017 registered as Document No. SRJ-1-03157/2017-18 and stored in CD No. SRJD248 on 21.11.2017 at SRO, Basavanagudi(Sarjapura) read with Addendum to Joint Development Agreement(JDA) and Power of Attorney dated 22.6.2018 registered as Document No.JGN-1-02114/2018-19 stored in CD No. JGND524 on 22.6.2018 at SRO, Jigani(Basavanagudi), Bengaluru and Rectification Deed dated 02.07.2018 for the Addendum to Joint Development Agreement registered as Document No. JGN-1-02363/2018-19 stored in CD No. JGND525 on 02.07.2018 at SRO, Jigani, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru Urban District.**

S. No.	Unit No.	Developers Share as per JDA	Unit Type	Salable Area in Sq. ft.
1.	1a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,424
2.	1b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
3.	21a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
4.	21b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
5.	22a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
6.	22b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
7.	31b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
8.	32b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
9.	33a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
10.	33b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
11.	3a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,424
12.	54a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,389
13.	54b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
14.	55b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
15.	59b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
16.	5a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,424
17.	5b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
18.	12a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,449
19.	12b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
20.	13a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,449
21.	13b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
22.	25a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
23.	25b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
24.	28a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
25.	7a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,424
26.	23a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
27.	24a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
28.	29a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
29.	29b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
30.	30a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,477
31.	52a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,389
32.	52b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
33.	53a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,389
34.	11a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	4.0 BHK – Garden	3,956
35.	11b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	4.0 BHK – Terrace	4,075
36.	14a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,449
37.	14b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
38.	15a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,449
39.	15b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
40.	16b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
41.	17b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
42.	18b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
43.	19a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,847
44.	19b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,960
45.	20a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	4.0 BHK – Garden	4,482
46.	20b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	4.0 BHK – Terrace	4,075
47.	34a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	4,051
48.	34b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,960
49.	39a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,449
50.	39b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
51.	40a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,449
52.	40b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
53.	41b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
54.	42a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,395
55.	42b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
56.	43b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Terrace	3,675
57.	44a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	3.5 BHK – Garden	3,377
58.	51a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	4.5 BHK – Garden	4,025
59.	51b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	4.5 BHK – Terrace	4,279
60.	56b	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	4.5 BHK – Terrace	4,279
61.	57a	GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt. Ltd.	4.5 BHK – Garden	4,117

Note: The above Schedule "A" and Schedule "B" properties are mortgaged in favour of the Bank vide Memorandum Relating to Deposit of Title Deeds dated 06.07.2018 vide document No.SRJ-1-01515/2018-19 and stored in CD No.SRJD260 dated 06.07.2018 at SRO, Basavanagudi (Sarjapura), Bengaluru, by M/s GM Infinite Dwelling (India) Pvt Ltd and M/s Patel Engineering Limited. and Addendum to Memorandum relating to Deposit of Title Deeds dated 07.07.2018 vide Document No.SRJ-1-01581/2018-19 and stored in CD No. SRJD260 on 10.7.2018 at SRO, Basavanagudi (Sarjapura), Bengaluru.

Date of Demand Notice	**05.12.2022**
Date of Possession	**03.08.2023**
Amount Outstanding	**Rs.61,77,54,015/- (Rupees Sixty One Crores Seventy Seven Lakhs Fifty Four Thousands and Fifteen Only)** as on **02.08.2023** and future interest at contractual rate from **03.08.2023** together with penal interest, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc., thereon.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 03.08.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
State Bank of India

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK

(A scheduled commercial bank)

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

NOTICE OF SALE THROUGH PRIVATE TREATY

SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSETS CHARGED TO THE BANK UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002. (SARFAESI ACT)

The undersigned as Authorized Officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Ltd.,** has taken over **Physical Possession** of the schedule property under the SARFAESI Act. The Authorized Officer of **M/s. Jana Small Finance Bank Ltd.,** had already conducted multiple public auctions for selling the property, but they turned out to be unsuccessful as no bids were received. Hence please be informed that if the total outstanding dues in the aforesaid loan account are not paid within **Fifteen (15) Days** from the date of this publication of this notice, then the Authorized officer will proceed for sale via private treaty of the property as stated below.

Public at large is informed that the secured property as mentioned in the Schedule are available for sale through Private Treaty, as per the terms agreeable to the Bank for realization of Bank's dues on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS"** and **"AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"**.

Standard terms & conditions for sale of property through Private Treaty are as under:

1. Sale through Private Treaty will be on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS"** and **"AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"**.
2. The purchaser will be required to deposit **25%** of the sale consideration on the next working day of receipt of Bank's acceptance of offer for purchase of property and the remaining amount within **15 days** thereafter.
3. The purchaser has to deposit 10% of the offered amount along with application which will be adjusted against 25% of the deposit to be made as per clause (2) above.
4. Failure to remit the amount as required under clause (2) above, will cause forfeiture of amount already paid including 10% of the amount paid along with application.
5. In case of non-acceptance of offer of purchase by the Bank, the amount of 10% paid along with the application will be refunded without any interest.
6. The purchaser should conduct due diligence on all aspects related to the property (under sale through private treaty) to his satisfaction. The purchaser shall not be entitled to make any claim against the Authorized Officer/ Secured Creditor in this regard at a later date.
7. The Bank reserves the right to reject any offer of purchase without assigning any reason.
8. In case of more than one offer, the Bank will accept the highest offer.
9. The interested parties may contact the Authorized Officer for further details/ clarifications and for submitting their application.
10. The purchaser has to bear all stamp duty, registration fee, and other expenses, taxes, duties, society dues in respect of purchase of the property.
11. Sale shall be in accordance with the provisions of SARFAESI Act/ Rules.

SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Loan Account Number	Name of Borrower/ Co-borrowers	Amount as per 13(2) Demand Notice under SARFAESI Act.	Reserve price for private treaty
1	30258310000288	1) Mr. Raghu G, 2) Mrs. Sharadhamma	**Rs.9,67,191/-** (Rupees Nine Lakhs Sixty Seven Thousand One Hundred and Ninety One Only) **as of 02-07-2020**	**Rs.5,20,000/-** (Rupees Five Lakh Twenty Thousand Only)
	Details of Secured Assets: Residential Apartment bearing No.A-104 Khata No.482, Assessment No.T-6-A-104, First Floor of Tower-6, consists of One Hall, One Bed Rood, Kitchen, Bathroom and a balcony, residential Apartment Complex known as "Janaadhar Shubha" constructed on the Schedule-"A" Property having a super built up area of 400 square feet with vitrified flooring and on the proportionate share in the common areas, such as passages, stairs, ducts well and/or rooms water, drainage and/or electrical conduit/s and/or other areas used in common with the purchasers of other Apartments and is **Bounded on: North by:** Open space, **South by:** A-103, **East by:** Corridor & Open space, **West by:** A-109. The Super built up area means and includes the exclusive floor area of each apartment unit and the proportionate areas covered by common walls, passages, stairs, ducts, well and or rooms, water, drainage and or electrical conduits parks, and or other areas used in common with the purchasers of other Apartments.			
2	45349670000050 45348950002780 45349670000225 45349630000140	1) M/s. Lakshmi Pathi N, Prop. N S Fresh Look Ladies Beauty Parlour, 2) Mr. Lakshmi Pathi N	**Rs.1,42,892/-** (Rupees One Lakh Forty Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety Two Only) **as of 11.06.2022 & Rs.10,97,088/-** (Rupees Ten Lakh Ninety Seven Thousand Eighty Eight Only) **& Rs.1,55,521.82/-** (Rupees One Lakh Fifty Five Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty One and Paisa Eighty Two Only) **and Rs. 56,802/-** (Rupees Fifty Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Two only) **as of 30.05.2022**	**Rs.16,00,000/-** (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Only)
	Details of Secured Assets: All the peace and parcel of the Immovable Property bearing Vacant Site No.1018, Out of Katha No.341, Formed in Converted land bearing Survey Nos.172, Converted for Non-Agriculture industrial (Hi-Tech) purposes as per Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(ASH)SR/95/2012-13, Dated 03.09.2013 issued by the Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, Situated at Chikka Nagamangala Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Measuring East to West: 27'-6" (Twenty Seven Feet Six Inches), North to South: 30'-0" (Thirty Feet) in all total measuring 825 Square Feet and **Bounded as follows: East by:** Land bearing Sy.No.171, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Site No.1019.			
3	30258310000605	1) Mr. Shibu Mandal, 2) Mrs. Tunu Mandal	**Rs.5,28,652/-** (Rupees Five Lakhs Twenty Eight Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Two Only) **as of 02-07-2020**	**Rs.5,25,000/-** (Rupees Five Lakh Twenty Five Thousand Only)
	Details of Secured Assets: Residential Apartment Bearing No.A-105 Khata No.368, Assessment No.T-1-A-105, First Floor of Tower-1, consists of One Hall, One Bed Rood, Kitchen, Bathroom and a balcony, residential Apartment along with covered car parking space bearing no.3 in Tower no.2 in the residential Apartment Complex known as "Janaadhar Shubha" constructed on the Schedule-"A" Property having a super built up area of 400 square feet with vitrified flooring and on the proportionate share in the common areas, such as passages, stairs, ducts well and/or rooms water, drainage and/ or electrical conduit/s and/or other areas used in common with the purchasers of other Apartments and is **Bounded on: North by:** Lobby & B-108, **South by:** Open Space, **East by:** B-108, **West by:** Open space & Staircase. The Super built up area means and includes the exclusive floor area of each apartment unit and the proportionate areas covered by common walls, passages, stairs, ducts, well and or rooms, water, drainage and or electrical conduits parks, and or other areas used in common with the purchasers of other Apartments.			

The aforesaid Borrower's/ Co-borrower's attention is invited to provisions of section 13(8) of SARFAESI Act for redemption of secured assets mentioned hereinabove by tendering the aforementioned outstanding dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the bank before the sale of secured assets.

Correspondence Address: Mrs. Syeda (Mob No.7400445147), email:syedayaseen.rana@janabank.com, Mr. Ranjan Naik (Mob No.9590858249), email: ranjan.naik@janabank.com. Jana Small Finance Bank Limited, (formerly known as M/s. Janalakshmi Financial Services Pvt. Ltd.), having Office The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangala Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

Date: 06.08.2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer, Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

ICICI Bank

Branch Office: ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068

PUBLIC NOTICE - TENDER CUM E-AUCTION FOR SALE OF SECURED ASSET

[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
Notice for sale of immovable asset

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of ICICI Bank Limited. will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is", as per the brief particulars given hereunder;

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s) / Co Borrowers/ Guarantors Loan Account No.	Details of the Secured asset(s) with known encumbrances, if any	Amount Outstanding	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit	Date and Time of Property Inspection	Date & Time of E-Auction
(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)
1.	Mr. Hemang Pankaj Shah (Borrower) Mr. Pankajbhai Vimalbhai Shah (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBABD00002282112	All That Piece and Parcel of The Ownership of The Residential Flat No G-1 Having Khatha Municipal No 20 On Ground Floor With Super Built-up Area 2149 Sq. Ft. Along With Car Parking Slot In Stilt Floor In The Building Constructed On The Schedule-A Property With Electrical And Sanitary Fittings, Along With All Amenities, Together With Proportionate Share/area of Common Use of Terrace, Common Area, Stair Case, Lifts, Terrace Area Etc. With Vitrified Flooring of Property Block No.10, Site No.1, Bmp Khata No.20 (old No.1), Pid No. Bmp Ward No.77 Sampangiramanagar, Situated at V-3 Serpentine Road, Bangalore- 560020	Rs. 1,46,10, 834.99 (as on August 05, 2023)	Rs. 1,20,00, 000/- / Rs. 12,00, 000/-	August 10, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	September 06, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
2.	Mr. Hemang Pankaj Shah (Borrower) Mr. Pankajbhai Vimalbhai Shah (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBABD00002282101	All That Piece and Parcel of The Ownership of The Residential Flat No F-1 Having Khatha Municipal No.20/1 On 1st Floor With Super Built-up Area 2149 Sq. Ft. Along With Car Parking Slot In Stilt Floor In The Building Constructed On The Schedule-A Property With Electrical and Sanitary Fittings, Along With All Amenities, Together With Proportionate Share/area of Common Use of Terrace, Common Area, Stair Case, Lifts, Terrace Area Etc. With Vitrified Flooring of Property Block No.10, Site No 1, Bmp Khata No.20 (old No.1), Pid No. Bmp Ward No.77 Sampangiramanagar, Situated at V-3 Serpentine Road, Bangalore-560020	Rs. 1,45,71, 976.99 (as on August 05, 2023)	Rs. 1,20,00, 000/- / Rs. 12,00, 000/-	August 10, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	September 06, 2023 from 11:30AM to 12:30 PM
3.	Mrs. Pragya Binani (Borrower) Mr. Roshan Thankachen Daniel (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBBNG00002910332	Flat Bearing No.002 In The Ground Floor of The Apartment Building Known As "pinnacle" Having A Super Built Up Area of 1331 Sq. Ft. Containing Three Bedrooms, Along With One Car Parking Space, Including Proportionate Share In Common Areas Such As Passage, Lobbies, Staircase Etc., Together With 439 Sq. Ft. Undivided Share of The Lacomprised In Schedule "A" Property Situated On Converted Land Bearing Old Sy.No.79, New Sy.No.79/2 & Sy. No.80/4 at Hirandahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Earlier Bangalore South Taluk, Presently Bangalore East Taluk.	Rs. 48,35, 022.59 (as on July 24, 2023)	Rs. 43,20, 000/- / Rs. 4,32,000/-	August 19, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	September 06, 2023 from 12:00PM to 01:00PM
4.	Mr. Irfan M (Borrower) Mrs. Shaheen (Co-Borrowers) Loan Account Number LBBNG00005056866/ LBBNG00005126903	All That Residential Apartment Bearing Flat No.107 In First Floor of Block 'A' (Sheshadri), of "thirumala Green Fields" Renamed as "Thirumala Lakshmi Grand" Being Built In Schedule 'A' Property and Apartment Measuring 1737 Square Feet Of Super Built Up Area Inclusive of Proportionate Share In Common Areas Such as Passages, Lobbies, Lifts, Staircases and Other Built Up Areas of Common Use, Including Club House With Right To Use One Covered Parking Space/s In The Basement Floor With Exclusive Right To Use and Enjoy With 830 Sq. Ft. Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest and Ownership In Schedule 'A' Property Situated at Seegehalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore District.	Rs. 89,35,833.92 (as on July 25, 2023)	Rs. 45,36, 000/- / Rs. 4,54,000/-	August 19, 2023 from 02:00 PM to 05:00 PM	September 06, 2023 from 12:30PM to 01:30PM
5.	Mr. Parikshith N (Borrower) Mr. Thimappa Narayana (Guarantor) Loan Account Number LBBNG00005423519	All That Piece and Parcel of Site No.04, Formed In Sy.No.17/1 and 17/A, Present Survey No.17/1A2 & 17/1A4, Converted For Residential Purpose Vide Official Memorandum No. ALN/(S)SR/(KEN)/51/2011-12, Dated 09/08/2011, Issued By Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, Situated at Pattanagere Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Measuring East To West: 30-0 Feet and North To South: 40-0 Feet, Totally Measuring 1200 Sq. Ft., The Property Comes Under The Limits of Bruhath Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Hemmigepura Ward No.198, and Bounded On: North: Road; South: 17/1 Other Property; East: Site No.03; West: Site No.05	Rs. 61,09, 231.90 (as on July 25, 2023)	Rs. 60,00, 000/- / Rs. 6,00,000/-	August 14, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	September 06, 2023 from 02:30PM to 03:30PM
6.	Mr. Guruprasad K (Borrower) Mr. Ashwathaiah Krishnappa (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBBNG00005556470	All That The Piece and Parcel of The Vacant Residential Flat Bearing No. Ff- 103 In The First Floor, New Bbmp Khata No. 266/128/124/1/12/5/ff/103, Super Built Up Area of 850 Sq. Ft. In The Apartment Known as "Padmavathi Pendents", Constructed On The Schedule 'A' Property, and Having 225 Sq. Ft. of Undivided Share, Right, Title and Interest In The Schedule 'A' Property, The Said Property Presently Comes Under The Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Consisting of One Hall, Two Bed Rooms, One Kitchen, Bathroom and Toilets With R.C.C. Roofing, Vitrified Tiles, Door and Windows Made of Mathi and Jungle Wood, With All Other Civic Amenities Like Water, Sanitary, Electricity, With Lift and Common Power Backup Generator Facilities Along With One Car Parking at Stilt Floor and Other Amenities In The Schedule 'A' Property Situated at Jaraganahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bengaluru.	Rs. 51,76, 374.50 (as on August 05, 2023)	Rs. 30,75, 000/- / Rs. 3,10,000/-	August 17, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	September 06, 2023 from 03:00PM to 04:00PM

The online auction will take place on the website of e-auction agency **M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited (URL Link-www.disposalhub.com).** The Mortgagors/ noticee are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest till **September 05, 2023** before **04:00 PM** failing which, this/these secured asset/s will be sold as per schedule.

The Prospective Bidder(s) must submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Demand Draft (DD) (Refer Column E) at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or before **September 05, 2023** before **05:00 PM** and thereafter they need to submit their offer through the above mentioned website only on or before **September 05, 2023** before **05:00 PM** along with scan image of Bank acknowledged DD towards proof of payment of EMD. Kindly note, in case prospective bidder(s) are unable to submit their offer through the website then signed copy of tender documents may be submitted at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or before **September 05, 2023** before **05:00 PM.** Earnest Money Deposit DD/PO should be from a Nationalised/Scheduled Bank in favour of **"ICICI Bank Limited"** payable at **Bangalore.**

For any further clarifications with regards to inspection, terms and conditions of the e-auction or submission of tenders, kindly contact **ICICI Bank Limited** on **9844542086/8008999536/7304918084.**

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The Authorised Officer reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without furnishing any further reasons.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please visit www.**icicibank.com/n4p4s**

Date: August 05, 2023
Place: Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

IN THE COURT OF PR. SR. CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC AT ANEKAL

O.S. No. 231/2013

BETWEEN: 1.Chowda Reddy, S/o.late Nagappa, **2. C.Girish,** S/o.Chowda Reddy, Both are residing at V. Kallahalli village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District... **PLAINTIFFS**

AND: M/s.3 ACES Hospitality Pvt Ltd... DEFENDANTS

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT

M/s.3 ACES Hospitality Pvt. Ltd., Having its registered office at No.22/62, West Panjabi Bagh, New Delhi-110026. Represented by its Managing Director Mr. Neeraj Kukreja.

Whereas, the plaintiff here by instituted the above suit against you for the relief of recovery of amount in respect of 1. Industrially converted Land in Sy.No.119 measuring 1 acre 0.06.00 guntas is converted for Industrial purpose by the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, dated 09-04-2008 bearing E.Katha No.150200100100520517, measuring to an extent of 4856.22 sq.meters, bounded on:-**East by:** Remaining portion in Land Sy.No. 119, **West by:** Property belonging to Gopal Reddy & Kaluve, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property in Sy.No.120 and

2. Industrially converted Land in Sy No. 120 measuring 1 acre 0.34.00 guntas is converted for Industrial purpose by the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, dated 09-04-2008 bearing E.Katha No.150200100100520516, measuring to an extent of 7486.68 sq meters together with Coated sheet shed measuring 28000 sq.feet, bounded on **East by:** Remaining portion in Land Sy.No.120, **West by:** Government Kaluve, **North by:** Property No.119, **South by:** Property in Sy.No.90/1 of Krishna Reddy. You are here by summoned to appear before this Hon'ble court in person or by a pleader on **14-09-2023** at 11:00 A.M to answer the same, failing which the suit will be disposed off ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 03-08-2023

By Order Of Court Chief Ministerial Officer Senior Civil Judge & JMFC Court Anekal.

Advocate for plaintiff: **V. RAVISH KUMAR,**
STB Complex, Attibele Road, Anekal Town, Bangalore urban District.

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TENDER NOTICE NO: 31/2023.
Dt.04.08.2023.
SUPPLY OF STORES ITEMS
e-Procurement Tender Notice

PUB/0873

The Following Tenders Have Been Floated Online. Tenderers Are Requested To Visit The Website **www.ireps.gov.in** And Submit Their Offers Online. The Tender Description, Qty, EMD, SD May Be Seen In Website. Offers Submitted Manually Will Not Be Accepted.Offers By Post Will Not Be Entertained. Tender Closing Time Is 14.30 Hrs Of The Due Date Of The Tender. "For All Indigenous Offers, EMD Will Be Accepted Only Via Online System As Available On **www.ireps.gov.in.**"

Tender No.	Brief Description
33.23.1117A	Sealed glass unit for Fixed
60.23.5333	Procurement of Valves pumps
60.23.6600	Procurement of Disengeger
31.23.1906	OH Kit for CUT of angle cock
33.23.1174	Kit for Speed Sensor
31.23.1938	POH Kit for Escorts
60.23.9095	MS Bolts nuts T-11511
37.23.1437A	Flap Door Chainless
60.23.9097	MS Bolts nuts T-11513
30.23.1425	Ealth Faucet ½ 1Meter
60.23.9117	Single Coil spring washer
81.23.1428	Carbon dioxide Gas
62.23.1213	Galvanized M.S.Tubes
60.23.9119	Clamps for Joggled fish
60.23.9121	Spherical Washer
33.23.1496	Speed sensor for Wheel
33.23.1209	Set of brake cylinders LH
60.23.9123	Hook bots 22x325 mm
60.23.9125	Plate screws to RDSO
60.23.9126	Plate screws to RDSO
60.23.9128	Fish Bolts & Nuts
60.23.9129	Hook bolts 22x300 mm
77.23.1162	Aluminium Brushing
33.23.1330	NON-ASBESTOS BASED
60.22.5251	Procurement of AIR COMPR
45.23.5013	200 VA, 750/415V AC, I phase,
45.23.5012	200 VA, 750/415V AC, I phase,

Note:-Due dates of Tender Opening: SL.No.01 on dt.08.08.2023.SL.No.02 on dt.10.08.2023. SL.No.03 & 04 on dt.21.08.2023. SL.No.05 to 07 on dt.22.08.2023.SL.No.08 to 10 on dt.23.08.2023.SL.No.11&12 on dt.24.08.2023. SL.No.13 to 15 on dt.25.08.2023.SL.No.16 to 23 on dt.28.08.2023.SL.No.24 & 25 on dt.01.09.2023.SL.No.26 on dt.11.09.2023.SL.No.27on dt.14.09.2023.

Beside Above Mentioned Tenders There Are Other Tenders Having Value Below **Rs.25 Lakhs.**

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Principal Chief Materials Manager/Secunderabad

e - TENDER NOTICE

PUB/0876

Tenders are invited in IREPS by the undersigned for the following works.

S.No.: 01 **Tender No.:** B/E.29-TRD-TNDR-14-23-24 Dt.03.08.2023 **Name of work:** Vijayawada Division: Augmentation of Power Supply infrastructure catering to sidings. **Approx. Value (₹):** 1,11,10,777/- **Bid Security (EMD) (₹) :** 2,05,600/- **Completion period :** 12 Months **Date of closing & Time :** 31.08.2023 at 15.00 Hrs

S.No. 1 - Cost of Tender form (Rs.): Nil

Date of closing : Sl.No.1: 31.08.2023 at 15.00 Hrs

Sr.Divisional Electrical Engineer/ TrD/Vijayawada
A1224

For further tender conditions / details and for downloading the tender documents, Please visit website at https://www.ireps.gov.in or www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in

Long-jumper Jeswin wins Switzerland event

World's season leader long-jumper Jeswin Aldrin produced his best performance in five months as he cleared 8.22m to win gold in the CITIUS Meeting in Bern, Switzerland. The 21-year-old had jumped 8.42m, the best in the world so far this season, during the National Open Jumps Competition at Bellary on March 2.

TAKE A BOW! GOLDEN MOMENT FOR ARCHERS

Father's sacrifice behind Jyothi's rich haul in ongoing World Championships as compound archers continue to put up impressive show in Berlin

KALYANI MANGALE @Chennai

JYOTHI Surekha Vennam stood with her bow and arrow with only five points separating India and the history books at the World Archery Championships in Berlin. The ever-calm and collected 'Queen of Indian Archery' notched nine points to end India's long wait for the gold medal at the prestigious event on Friday.

The 27-year-old has an impressive resume at the same tournament where she boasts six medals since 2017, including four silvers and two bronze medals in the Compound category. Even at the latest event in Berlin, along with her team medal, Jyothi bagged the bronze medal in the individual category as well. With that, the archer from Vijayawada has now taken her tally to nine of India's 13 medals in the World Championship.

Coming from a humble family in Andhra Pradesh, Jyothi was never far away from sports in her family. Her grandfather was a coach of Kabaddi in Andhra Pradesh, and her father continued to play Kabaddi. While her father could continue with the sport, he was aware of what it takes to make a sportsperson. "We come from a middle-class agrarian family in Andhra Pradesh," Jyothi's father Surendra Kumar Vennam told this daily. When it came to funding her training and other needs, Surendra Kumar didn't think twice before selling his land. "When she made it to the international level, she had to go to the USA for training to better her technique. We had to spend a lot of money in coaching and other fees. I sold some of my land to facilitate some of the money," her proud father added.

Jyothi Surekha Vennam | SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT

Ojas Deotale (left) and Aditi Swami stole the show on Saturday | TWITTER

It is such sacrifices have made Jyothi who she is today. Before turning to archery, Jyothi, at the age of three years, swam five kilometres across the river Krishna to set a record as the 'youngest swimmer' to cross the river. She turned to archery at the age of 11 on the suggestion gymnastics coach. "Her endurance and shoulder power was better than her leg power in swimming. Rammohan, the gymnastic coach from SAI, who was posted in Vijayawada suggested she should switch to rifle shooting or archery as a better sport for Jyothi. At that time rifle shooting was not available in Andhra Pradesh, so we went with Archery." he added.

Even at the World Championships, while leading a young side comprised of 19-year-old Parneet Kaur and 17-year-old Aditi Gopichand Swami, her focus was on winning the elusive gold medal for India. After beating defending champions Colombia 220-216 in the semi-final with windy conditions, she had a bigger goal in sight. "Our match was against the wind today," her teammate Aditi told World Archery after booking the finals slot. "Our competition was tough, but we are happy with the results," she added.

The experienced Jyothi was aware of the history at stake when she spoke to World Archery. "For our country, this Friday will be a chance to win our first gold medal at the World Championship. We will simply focus on shooting well so that we do our best and win the gold medal and take it back to India," she said. She kept her word and helped India win the first-ever gold medal at the event. Jyothi has kept India's flag flying at the World Championships for the longest time and from the looks of it many more archers are to follow.

Aditi, Ojas shine

BERLIN: Less than two months after she won the junior world title, 17-year-old Aditi Swami became the senior world champ when she beat Andrea Becerra of Mexico in the compound women's final of the World Archery Championships, here on Saturday. Later, Ojas Deotale also became the world champ when he bagged the compound men's title with a perfect score of 150 as India recorded their best ever finish in the event.

Anita vs Sanjay for prez; plot twist in secy post?

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

ONLY two nominations were withdrawn on the last date as Dushyant Sharma and Kuldip Singh walked out of the race for president and executive member's posts respectively on Saturday. Dushyant's withdrawal means former Commonwealth Games gold medallist Anita Sheoran will contest against Sanjay Kumar Singh, a candidate from the Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh faction, for the top post.

Despite the withdrawal, both Dushyant and Kuldip remain in the fray for other posts. Dushyant also filed his nomination for the treasurer's post while Kuldip will be one of the candidates for the post of joint secretary. Satya Pal Singh Deshwal is running for treasurer's post from another faction.

Similarly, for the secretary's post, one candidate from both groups will be in contention. Darshan Lal is the candidate from the sidelined Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) president Brij Bhushan's camp while Railway Sports Promotion Board (RSPB) secretary Prem Chand Lochab is from another faction. As was reported by this daily, ID Nanavati and Devender Kadyan will be contesting against each other for the senior vice president's post with the former being nominated by the Uttar Pradesh strongman. "Secretary and senior vice president posts could see some late drama if both the factions agree to share posts. There is a possibility that Lochab can be made secretary to pacify protesting wrestlers," a source keeping track of the developments told this daily.

Candidates from Brij Bhushan faction withdrew their proxies on Friday. Two of its proxies — one each for the posts of vice president and joint secretary — were supposed to withdraw on Saturday but that didn't happen. It is learnt that a member of Brij Bhushan has allegedly switched his loyalty leading to the issue. As per the WFI constitution, the executive committee can have one president, one senior vice president, one secretary and one treasurer apart from four vice presidents, two joint secretaries and five executive members (total 15).

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Thrower Jena aiming for big show alongside idol Neeraj

TANMAY DAS @Bhubaneswar

ODISHA'S javelin thrower Kishore Kumar Jena has made it to the final list of athletes qualified for the 2023 World Athletics Championships in Budapest, Hungary from 19 August to 27 August 2023. Jena is the first Odisha athlete to qualify for World Championships and Asian Games in throwing events.

In the recently concluded National Inter-State Senior Athletic Championships, Jena clinched the silver medal by throwing a personal best of 81.05m. Subsequently, he broke that record and bagged the gold medal with 84.38m in the Sri Lanka National Athletics Championship, moving up to 36th in the world rankings.

Jena hadn't touched the 80m-mark until 2022, however, his performances have reached new heights this year. "I was not able to break the 80m distance. My coach Samarjeet Singh Malhi sir made few technical changes to my throw. He showed me the technical changes. Earlier, I used to start from a 16m run , he advised me to start from 22m. Another change he made is to hold the javelin little behind. These changes gave me a positive result, now I am aiming for the 90m mark," Jena told this daily

Kishore Kumar Jena

While he is growing from strength to strength, Jena did not forget his roots. After all, his family is his pillar of strength. "My father Keshab Jena is a farmer and my mother Harapriya Jena are residing at Kothasahi village, Brahmagiri, Puri. They always supported me. Among the seven siblings, I am the youngest and only son of my family. My six elder sisters always stood rock solid with me and encouraged me. In every *'Raksha Bandhan'* festival, I missed them a lot due to my schedule," he said.

Jena will be one of three Indian male javelin throwers at the Worlds alongside Neeraj Chopra and DP Manu. "After my Sri Lanka performance, my idol Neeraj Chopra *bhai* congratulated me. That means a lot to me. After almost six years, I will meet Neeraj *bhai* in Budapest. In the year 2016-17, I saw him during the University Games and Federation Cup. I will take his blessing before I take my first throw in the World Athletics Championship. I am focussing on the upcoming World Championships and Asian Games. If I achieve a little better than my personal best, I will book my ticket for the Paris Olympic Games," added Jena, who is currently working with CISF.

Pak vs England WC tie may get rescheduled because of Kali Puja

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WITH the Kolkata police raising concerns over providing security for the 2023 ODI World Cup match between Pakistan and England on November 12 — which is the same date as that of Kali Puja, a major hindu festival in the state — the state association on saturday requested the ICC recce team to look into the possibility of changing dates for the game. If BCCI and ICC have to accommodate another change of date, then Pakistan will have a third change in the schedule.

As it is, the marquee clash between India and Pakistan is understood to be preponed a day (from October 15 to 14) because of the similar security issues on Navaratri with the Ahmedabad police. And to accommodate that, the Pakistan game against Sri Lanka in Hyderabad too is set to be moved back a couple of days to October 10.

The international cricket body and the BCCI had released the World Cup schedule on June 27. A month later, BCCI secretary Jay Shah had said that three member nations had written requesting for change in dates for some of the fixtures on July 27. The revised schedule is yet to be released with the tournament set to begin in 60 days.

With Kali Puja being one of the biggest festivals in West Bengal, and festivities happening all over the city, a large police deployment might be required to maintain law and order situation.

While the Cricket Association of Bengal president Snehasish Ganguly said that there was no "official request" for a change in schedule, senior office-bearers in CAB are well aware that Kolkata Police has already raised this issue. Whether the BCCI and the ICC will agree for yet another schedule change at this point is yet to be seen.

While talking to reporters after the ICC's inspection and meeting that lasted for more than three hours on Saturday, Ganguly said that they cannot ask the ICC without any official request from the Kolkata police. "We have not yet got anything officially from the Kolkata Police," Snehasish said. "Unless we get something officially, we can't inform the ICC. Security issue is being taken care of by the Kolkata Police. We went to Kolkata Police for a courtesy visit two days ago, we had a discussion with them. We schedule, plan and how we are preparing the stadium were discussed," he said.

Whether the ICC agrees to accommodate the changes or not, such multiple requests coming in over a month after the original schedule was released makes one wonder whether the local security agencies and the dates of the festivals were taken into consideration before drawing up the dates for the tournament which India will be hosting for the first time since 2011.

EXPRESS READ

Brazilian Crivellaro returns to Chennaiyin

CHENNAI: Chennaiyin FC have signed Brazilian attacking midfielder and former skipper Rafael Crivellaro ahead of the 2023-24 ISL season, the club said on Saturday. The 34-year-old joined CFC after spending the latter half of the 2022-23 season at Jamshedpur FC where he registered two goals and four assists in 13 matches across all competitions.

India walkers bag bronze medal

CHENGDU: India bagged a bronze medal in the women's 20km race walk team event at the World University Games here on Saturday. The quartet of Pooja Kumawat, Nikita Lamba, Mansi Negi and Priyanka finished with a time of 5:12:13 to clinch the final spot on the podium. China (4:52:02) and Slovakia (5:05:36) claimed the gold and silver, respectively.

Prannoy beats Rajawat to enter Oz Open final

SYDNEY: HS Prannoy stormed into his second final of the season with a straight-game win over Priyanshu Rajawat at the Australian Open Super 500 tournament here on Saturday. The 31-year-old rode on his power and precision to outwit the 21-year-old Rajawat 21-18, 21-12 in the men's singles semifinals. "It is very satisfying (to win), because it is always tough to play continuously against the top 10 players and beating them and if you look at the men's singles section, somebody from 30s and 40s are also very tough these days," Prannoy said.

Golfer Aditi makes cut, Diksha misses out

IRVINE (SCOTLAND): Indian golfer Aditi Ashok survived the cut line narrowly while Diksha Dagar missed out at the end of the second round of the FREED GROUP Women's Scottish Open golf tournament here. Aditi totalled three-over 147 and was lying T-65th while Diksha, with 9-over 153, missed the cut. Aditi survived the cut despite two late bogeys on the front nine.

WOMEN'S WORLD CUP

Japan beat Norway to reach quarterfinals

AGENCIES @Wellington

JAPAN scored their 14th goal of the Women's World Cup and conceded their first Saturday, beating Norway 3-1 to reach the quarterfinals for the fourth time.

Hinata Miyazawa sealed the win with her fifth goal of the tournament in the 81st minute to remain the leading scorer. Risa Shimizu's 50th-minute goal followed an Ingrid Syrstad Engen own goal in the first half to help give Japan their fourth straight win of the tournament. With five goals the 23-year-old Miyazawa equals the record for a Japan player at a World Cup. Homare Sawa scored five in 2011 when Japan won the tournament. She won the Golden Boot that year. This Japan team already has scored more goals than the 2011 team. Guro Reiten headed a superb goal for Norway in the 21st minute to end Japan's flawless defensive performance and leave the teams locked 1-1 a halftime.

Japan players celebrate their victory against Norway in the Round of 16 match of the FIFA World Cup at Wellington Regional Stadium on Saturday | AFP

After beating Spain 4-0 with only 23% of possession in its group-stage finale, Japan once again were a tactical chameleon in the round of 16 — playing with more than 60% of possession in a commanding performance. Japan traded their regular blue uniform for pastel colours Saturday, pink and purple. The softer colour scheme did nothing to dull their attacking style; they pressed forward from the start and had their first corner after two minutes. "We knew Norway were going to play to their strength but all of our players really worked hard," Japan coach Futoshi Ikeda said. "We made several adjustments in the second half and it was great that they led to the goals and the win. Whether we are No 1, we will find out if we continue winning. We will find out at the end."

While it was ineffective, it was an early declaration of intent. With long balls or sharp, quick passing, Japan continually pressed forward and Norway, which conceded only one goal in group play, often seemed rattled at the back.

RESULTS: Switzerland 1-5 Spain, Japan 3-1 Norway

Today's matches

Netherlands vs South Africa, 7.30 AM; Sweden vs United States, 2.30 PM

Live on DD Sports and FanCode

Young rider Shreyas passes away in motorcycle racing accident

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Chennai

SHREYAS Hareesh, a 13-year-old prodigy from Bengaluru, succumbed to injuries he suffered following a crash in the third round of the MRF MMSC fmsci Indian National Motorcycle Racing Championship 2023 at the Madras International Circuit, here on Saturday. The remaining races scheduled for Saturday and Sunday were cancelled.

Born on July 26, 2010, Shreyas was a student of Kensri School in Bengaluru. He was being hailed as a rising star as he had won several races at the national level, including four in a row while competing in the Rookie category of the Petronas TVS One-Make Championship this season. The incident, on Saturday, occurred soon after the start of the Rookie race for which he had qualified for pole position this morning. Exiting Turn-1, Shreyas fell following a crash and suffered grievous head injury. The race was red-flagged immediately and he was rushed to a nearby hospital in a trauma care ambulance stationed at the track. He was pronounced dead on arrival at the hospital. His father, Copparam Hareesh was by his side.

Shreyas Hareesh

Having won the MiniGP title in May this year, Shreyas had participated in the MiniGP races in Spain, finishing both races in fifth and fourth positions. The talented rider was scheduled to compete in the MSBK Championship 2023 at Sepang Circuit, Malaysia, in August, representing team CRA Motorsports in the 250cc category (Group B). His father Hareesh was planning to send Shreyas to Spain later this year for further training. Hareesh had already started crowdfunding to raise money for the same.

Ajit Thomas, MMSC president said that it is tragic to have lost a young and talented rider. "Shreyas, who was making waves with his prodigious racing talent, was provided medical assistance on the spot immediately after the incident and taken to the hospital," he said in a statement. "Under the circumstances, we have decided to cancel the rest of this weekend's programme. The MMSC offers heart-felt condolences and our thoughts are with his family," the statement read.

Biological Diversity (Amendment) Bill was approved last week by the Lok Sabha. The 2002 Act sought to protect biological resources like animals, plants which were in danger due to human activity. But, the amendment aims to allow medical practitioners to share their knowledge without being punished for it

WHY AMENDMENTS TO FOREST CONSERVATION ACT RAISED HEAT

FOREST AND TREE COVER OF INDIA IN 2021
7,13,789
TOTAL FOREST COVER*
8,09,537
TOTAL FOREST AND TREE COVER
VERY DENSE FOREST 99,779 sq km
MODERATELY DENSE FOREST: 3,06,890 sq km
OPEN FOREST: 3,07,120 sq km
TREE COVER 95,748 sq km
SCRUB 46,539 sq km
*Includes 4,992 sq km under Mangrove cover

FEATURES OF THE AMENDED LAW

RESTRICTED

- De-reservation of forest or use of forest land for non-forest purposes. But restrictions may be lifted with prior approval of the Central government
- Non-forest purposes include use of land for cultivating horticultural crops or for any purpose other than reafforestation
- Activities excluded from the ambit of 'non-forest purposes' include works related to the conservation, management, and development of forest and wildlife such as establishing check posts, fire lines, fencing, and wireless communication
- Also excluded from the ambit of 'non-forest purposes' are setting up zoos and safaris under the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 in forest areas other than protected areas, eco-tourism facilities etc

LAND COVERED UNDER THE ACT

- Land declared or notified as a forest in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Forest Act, 1927 or under any other law for the time being in force
- Land in government record specified as forest as on or after October 25, 1980
- Land changed from forest use to non-forest use on or before December 12, 1996 by any authority authorised by a state/UT out of its ambit

LAND NOT COVERED UNDER THE ACT

- Forest land alongside a rail line or a public road maintained by the government, which provides access to a habitation, or to a rail, and roadside amenity up to a maximum 0.10 hectare in each case
- Forest land situated within a distance of 100 km along the International Border or the Line of Control or the Line of Actual Control, proposed to be used for construction of strategic linear project of national importance and concerning national security
- Up to 10 hectares proposed to be used for construction of security related infrastructure
- Proposed to be used for construction of defence related project or a camp for paramilitary forces or public utility projects, as may be specified by the Central government, the extent of which does not exceed five hectares in a Left Wing Extremism affected area

S V KRISHNA CHAITANYA @Chennai

One of the talking points at the G20 climate and environment ministers meeting that concluded in Chennai recently was the countries' pledge to restore the degraded forest land. India alone has set a target to restore 26 million hectares of forest land, creating 2.5 to 3 billion tonnes of additional carbon sink.

In fact, land degradation, ecosystem restoration, biodiversity and water resources was one of the three thematic priorities of the 4th Environment and Climate Sustainability Working Group.

While these high-level discussions were underway among the Group of 20 largest economies, the Indian government introduced the contentious Forest (Conservation) Amendment Bill, 2023 and got it passed in the Lok Sabha unchanged without any discussion despite receiving hundreds of objections. It was subsequently passed in the Rajya Sabha as well. The bill potentially exposes large tracts of forest lands (that fall within the scope of the Forest Conservation Act (FCA), 1980) for the diversion for non-forestry activities, critics point out. Among several other bills introduced in the ongoing Parliament session, the Forest (Conservation) Amendment Bill faced fierce opposition ever since its draft was put up in public domain.

Why is this problematic

Though the Bill proposes several amendments to the decades-old FCA, the most regressive facet, say activists, is the exclusion of two categories of land from the purview of the Act. One, land recorded as forest before October 25, 1980 but not notified as a forest, and second, land which changed from forest-use to non-forest-use before December 12, 1996. This part is seen as an attempt to subvert the expanded definition of forest that the Supreme Court provided on December 12, 1996 in the landmark TN Godavarman case.

The Supreme Court defined forest land in Section 2 of the FCA to mean that it "will not only include forest as understood in the dictionary sense, but also any area recorded as forest in the government record irrespective of the ownership". The bill takes out those forest lands from the purview of FCA that have already undergone change from forest to non-forest use on or before December 12, 1996. It also takes out those forest lands that are not notified as forests but were recorded as forests prior to October 25, 1980, usually categorised under "unclassed forests". Unclassed forests were 12.08 million ha (15.58%) out of the recorded forest area of 77.52 million ha in 2021.

The bill also exempts certain types of land from the purview of the FCA, thereby freeing-up those lands from requiring forest clearance for land use change from forest to non-forest. These include forest land within 100 km of India's border needed for national security projects, which literally covers the whole Northeast that is already bearing the brunt of increasing 'man-made' disasters allegedly due to unscientific developmental works.

North-eastern states have the highest proportion of forest cover with respect to their total geographical area and are also biodiversity hotspots. As per the India State of Forest Report 2021, 84.53% of Mizoram's geographical area is covered by forests, Arunachal Pradesh (79.33%), Meghalaya (76%), Manipur (74.34%) and Nagaland (73.90%).

In Para 4 of the Statement of Objects and Reasons of the bill, the government said there is a need to fast-track the strategic and security related projects of national importance so as to ensure development of vital security infrastructures, especially along the international border areas such as the Line of Actual Control, Line of Control and Left Wing Extremism-affected areas.

Ritwick Dutta, environmental advocate and founder of Legal Initiate For Forest and Environment (LIFE), told this newspaper, "The need for fast-tracking does not and should not mean the whole appraisal is done away with altogether. The bill aims to completely exempt all defence and security related infra from the application of the FCA, which is problematic. Studies on soil erosion, slope stability among others would still have to be done and would minimise the long-term internal environmental and climatic risk to the strategic and security projects themselves. Our northern international borders are in the Himalayas, a geologically active region. Recent events in Joshimath have shown the importance of proper studies and their careful evaluation to ensure stability in the region."

Dutta said proposals for diversion of forest land for non-forest purposes are considered at the State-level Regional Empowered Committee and at the Central level by the Forest Advisory Committee. "Analysis of data over the last many years shows that not a single defence related project was rejected by the REC or FAC."

Bivash Ranjan, Additional Director General of Forests, Union environment ministry who was in Chennai for the G20 meeting, declined comment on the bill, but said the risk assessment and environmental impact assessment would continue to remain an integral part of these projects.

No reference to FRA & BDA

The Forest Rights Act, 2006 and Biological Diversity Act, 2002 finds no reference either in the text of the bill or the statement of Objects and Reasons. The fact that forests are not empty spaces but areas where there are rights conferred under the law find no reference in the bill. In the past few years, nearly three lakh Biodiversity Management Committees have been set up and are functional. Individual and community forest rights have been conferred on forest dwelling communities and gram sabhas are mandated to protect and conserve these community forest resources (CFR).

Yet, the bill gives a carte blanche to divert forest on various grounds. There is no recognition of the efforts that might have been put in by communities in protecting and regenerating these forest areas, environmentalists say.

Coimbatore-based tribal activist and researcher C R Bijoy told this newspaper there is systematic dilution of environmental laws, including FCA, FRA and BDA, driven by the interests of capital. In 2009, the Union environment ministry said around 40 million hectares of community forest resources must be transferred under FRA to village level democratic institutions like gram sabhas. However, as on date, hardly 13% of the ministry's estimated land has been titled to the gram sabhas.

In fact, the Ministry of Tribal Affairs said, in a submission to the Joint Parliamentary Committee that the government should "please consider inserting a saving clause mentioning that 'the said definition of forest land will not be in derogation of FRA,'" and that the land on which forest rights have been recognised continue to be considered forest land. But, the bill has no reference to FRA. Activists point out that even the Forest (Conservation) Rules of 2022, which were amended, do not have a proper mechanism to ensure gram sabha consent, since it is required after all clearances are already granted. Last year, when the rules were amended, the National Commission for Scheduled Tribes had asked the ministry to put the rules in abeyance because they did away with previous rules that required authorities to acquire gram sabha consent before a project was sent for clearance.

CURIOUS CASE OF THAILAND HAVING NO PM EVEN 3 MONTHS AFTER POLLS

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Nearly three months after the surprise victory of the reformist Move Forward Party (MFP) in the Thailand general elections, the country is yet to elect a prime minister. Pita Limjaroenrat, the Harvard-educated young leader of MFP, who campaigned on a promise to make Thailand a modern democracy and limit the humongous influence of the monarchy and the military over the country's politics, has been barred from contesting for the PM's post. Normally in a parliamentary democracy, the leader of the largest party becomes the PM after proving the support of a majority of lawmakers in the popularly-elected chamber. Pita had assembled a coalition that held 312 seats in the 500-member lower house of Parliament – the House of Representatives. But in Thailand, that isn't enough. The PM needs majority support of both houses of Parliament put together, including the Senate that is nominated. That's how the monarchy-with-a-thin-skin and the military pull the strings.

PARTY POSITIONS

- Move Forward Party: **141 seats**
- Pheu Thai: **136**
- Bhumjaithai: **71**
- United Thai Nation: **36**
- Palang Pracharat: **40**
- Democrat: **25**
- Others: **36**

Winds of change

Two institutions are sacred in Thailand – the monarchy and the military. Both wield enormous influence over the country that has witnessed many coups. Even now, criticism of the king is outlawed and violators face lengthy jail terms. But the winds of change are blowing and today's youngsters want to see their country become a full-fledged democracy where their elected representatives, led by the prime minister, make laws without interference from the king or the army chief.

Against this backdrop, the May 14 general election was expected to unseat the government led by former army chief Prayut Chan-o-Cha. Opinion polls showed Paetongtarn Shinawatra of the Pheu Thai party as the favourite to take power. Pita was the next most popular leader. But his party did better and emerged the biggest in Parliament.

Prayut seized power in a bloodless coup in 2014 amid a political crisis over the transfer of a senior civil servant by then-PM Yingluck Shinawatra. Prayut was subsequently elected PM in 2019 in a vote held under the military-drafted constitution signed by King Maha Vajiralongkorn in 2017. His party had won only 116 seats in the House, less than the Pheu Thai party's 136. Yet, with the backing of the 250-strong military-appointed Senate, he managed to seize power. The subsequent years saw periodic pro-democracy protests, mostly led by youth, against the backdrop of increasing repression and an economic slowdown, exacerbated by the Covid lockdown.

Lese majeste law

In the run-up to the May general elections, Pheu Thai promised to raise the minimum wage, cut fuel and public transportation costs, make a one-time payment of $300 to every adult to spend locally, and provide free internet and a tablet computer to all students. The MFP made similar promises but went further by pledging to reform the country's political system, which resonated with the youth but drew anger of the conservatives. MFP's reformist proposals included drafting a new constitution, ending conscription, limiting the military's influence over politics and amending Section 112 of the Thai penal code that bans criticism of the monarchy. The last of these was the highlight of the party's poll plank and led to calls from royalists to disband it.

Thailand's *lese majeste* law is one of the most stringent in the world with lengthy prison terms for even the slightest of criticisms against the monarchy. Hundreds of people, including minors, have been jailed without trial under the law since the 2014 coup. The MFP proposed reducing jail terms and an exemption from punishment if the criticism was made in good faith.

Thailand is a constitutional monarchy. The king does not play a direct role in policy making. But, he wields influence over the process through a loyal Senate. If elected MPs attempt to make or amend a law that could hurt his interests, the Senators can be expected to block it. MFP's proposals on the *lese majeste* law set it on a collision course with the Senators.

Majority in the House

The MFP was launched in March 2020, days after its predecessor, the Future Forward Party (FFP), was dissolved by a Constitutional Court. The FFP landed in hot water over its acceptance of a donation of $6 million from its co-founder. As per Thai law, a party cannot accept more than 10 million baht ($2,89,000) from an individual. Eleven lawmakers, who were the party's office-bearers, were banned from the House. The remaining 55 joined the MFP. In the May 14 elections, the party won 151 seats in the 500-member House. The Pheu Thai won 141. Days later, Pita announced that the MFP and seven other parties, including Pheu Thai, had signed a coalition agreement. Together, they had 312 seats.

How Senate stifled Pita

Thailand got its 20th constitution on April 6, 2017 during Pratyut's watch as PM. It created a 250-member Senate whose members were appointed by the military government for a term of six years. Under the new constitution, any party with at least 25 seats in the House can nominate a candidate for the PM's post. But to become the PM, the nominee needs the support of a majority of lawmakers from both chambers of Parliament. In other words, the candidate must get the support of at least 376 of 750 lawmakers (500+250) to become the PM. Pita naively believed he would get the support of a few dozen Senators, having reached out to them earlier, but most of them listened to their master's voice instead. They blocked his path to PM-ship citing his party's stated intention to amend the lese majeste law. By making the Senate's vote count in the election, the constitution put the choice of the PM in the pocket of the monarchy and the military.

The first round of voting was held on July 13, nearly two months after the elections. Of the 705 lawmakers who voted, 324 endorsed Pita, 182 voted against him and 199 abstained. He got the support of 13 Senators alone. Mass protests erupted. Thousands of MFP supporters hit the streets demanding that Pita be allowed to become the PM. But things went south from here. Days later, on July 18, ahead of the second vote, a motion to block him from contesting again — on the grounds that Parliament's rules do not allow for a repeat motion within the same session — was passed with the backing of 395 lawmakers. A day later, Pita's troubles were compounded as a court suspended his membership from the lower House following a complaint by a political activist that the MFP leader held shares of iTV. Thai rules prohibit lawmakers from owning shares in media firms.

What next

The MFP approached the Constitutional Court through the state ombudsman challenging Parliament's rejection of Pita's renomination. The court was expected to decide on the maintainability of the petition on August 3, but it put it off claiming it needed more time to take the call. It will on August 16 next to decide whether or not to accept the petition. If it does accept it, the court could order that the vote be put on ice till it pronounces its verdict. Besides, the MFP has filed a petition in Parliament demanding amendment of the constitution to eliminate the unelected Senate's ability to veto PM candidates. That said, Pita's chances of running for PM again in the current term of Parliament appear negligible unless the monarchy-military stranglehold is decisively relaxed by the judiciary or people's power.

As for the eight-party alliance the MFP had cobbled together, it has since broken up. The next biggest party in the coalition, the Pheu Thai, announced it will form a new coalition as all other parties and Senators it spoke to wanted the MFP out of any new arrangement. In other words, the party with the biggest numbers in Parliament has become politically untouchable.

While Pheu Thai intends to nominate real estate tycoon Srettha Thavisin for PM of the new coalition, Paetongtarn Shinawatra recently created a flutter by announcing her father and former PM Thaksin Shinawatra's return home from self-imposed exile after 15 years on August 10. With the wheels of politics turning slowly, Thailand's wait for a new government has just got longer.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

KING VAJRAJALONKORN
He ascended to the throne on December 1, 2016. As prince, he spent most of his life in Europe, especially Germany. When the new constitution was being drafted, he demanded changes so as allowing him to travel abroad without having to appoint a regent. He used the *lese majeste* law against his divorced third wife's parents and jailed them

PITA LIMJAROENRAT
A Harvard-educated businessman, he joined politics in 2018 and won a seat in the House of Representatives on the Future Forward Party's ticket the following year. When the FFP was dissolved, he was made leader of the successor Move Forward Party. Before joining politics, he was the CEO of Agrifood, a family-run business

PRAYUT CHAN-O-CHA
Seized power after leading a coup against Yinluck Shinawatra govt in 2014. A staunch supporter of the royalty, he was appointed a commander of Royal Guards. Rose through the ranks to become the top commander of the Thai Army in 2010. After 2019 polls, the Palang Pracharath Party nominated him as a candidate for PM

PAETONGTARN SHINAWATRA
The scion of the Shinawatra family was the clear favourite to be Thailand's next PM. She is the daughter of former PM Thaksin Shinawatra. Ahead of the polls, most opinion polls favoured her Pheu Thai party. She is far more popular than Srettha Thavisin, her rival for the PM's post. Yet, Thavisin is ahead in the race for the PM

THAKSIN SHINAWATRA
The former PM was ousted from power by the 2006 coup. He fled in 2008 to avoid jail. He is the founder of Pheu Thai party and remains a popular figure. His daughter Paetongtarn Shinawatra claimed he will return to Thailand this month, ending 15 years of self-imposed exile. It could prolong the Thai political deadlock

SRETTHA THAVISIN
He is expected to be Phue Thai's PM candidate. A property tycoon, he is known for his excellent management skills. Thavisin was appointed as chief adviser to Paetongtarn Shinawatra in March. Thavisin has vowed to improve Thailand's international standing if elected PM